ebanese factions clash in Tripoli

IRUT (R) — Several people were killed and many wounded in ned clashes between two rival groups in the northern Lebanese y of Tripoli Saturday, state-run Beirut Radio reported. It said insive damage was also caused in the exchanges of artillery and ket fire between the anti-Syrian "Popular Resistance" and the Syrian Arab Democratic Party, which bave clashed beatedly this year. Sixty people died and some 200 were builded in six days of fierce fighting between the two groups last bonth. Beirut Radio said the situation was deteriorating in the Bolly. Lebanon's second largest.





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lhafi demands **European response** ebanon invasion

OON (R) — Libyan leader ımar Qadhafi has warned European countries that ack of response to the Israeli on of Lebanon was putting friendship with Arab states opardy. The Libyan news y JANA said Col. Qadhafi ssed ambassadors from the t Union, Poland, Hungary, ıria, Romania, Czechosia and East Germany at a ing lasting only five minutes. a quoted him as telling the nats: "The friendship betthe Arab progressive forces ne socialist bloc countries is : same danger as that surng the Palestinian resistance. on the verge of gning up in s bke Beirut." Col. Qadhafi them to point out to their nments that "we have had nswer to the Arab man-'z-street's questions about friends' stand on the st-American aggression."

ks fail to conclude y-Algeria gas deal

IE (R) — Algerian Energy ster Belkacem Nabi left for as Saturday after failing to : a price for piping Algerian o Italy. After three days of sclusive talks with the Italian .mment he told reporters at te's Fiumicino Airport: "re's no denying that not all problems have been solved." two parties will meet again July 19 to 21. A pipeline T the Mediterranean with an al capacity of 12 billion cubic es. was completed last year. ria has not delivered gas use it raised the price to \$5 nillion British thermal units u) from the \$3.5 agreed in The gas price talks took on d urgency after the United s on June 18 brought in new tions on equipment to be useduilding a pipeline to carry rian gas to Western Europe.

olidarity activists led in Poland

RSAW (R) — A Polish militcourt has jailed eight members n underground group of the ended free trade union Solity which operated in the tern town of Swiebodzin, the ial PAP news agency reported irday. PAP said the leader of group, a technician at a local ory, had been imprisoned for ears while the other seven had a given sentences of between e and five years.

pal offer averts tican strike

FICAN CITY (R) - An offer ope John Paul to examine the vances of Varican workers and omise that they can set up a e union has averted what d have been the first strike in history of the city-state. iano Cerullo, president of the ican lay workers' organisation. Friday he had received a letfrom Secretary of State Caral Agostino Casaroli promising

Pope would personally mine workers' grievances. Vat-1 authorities had also conceded right of lay employees to their a trade union, he said.

pandreou, Zhivkov il for nuke-free Ikan region

ENNA (R) — The Balkans uld be freed of nuclear spons as a step towards a lear-free Europe, Greece and Igaria said Saturday. The offi-- I BTA news agency said the a was made in a joint commique issued at the end of a ee-day visit to Bulgaria by eek Prime Minister Andreas pandreou. Bulgarian President dor Zhivkov was quoted Friday the agency as repeating a call he ade last October for a summit of lkan leaders to discuss ways of eing the area from nuclear aponry. In Romania, President. colae Ceausescu also called for amount conference to discuss the se, the official news agency erpres said.



His Majesty King Hussein is received at Moscow Airport by Senior Kremlin leaders Friday

Jordan, Moscow call for Israeli pullout

MOSCOW (Agencies) — The Soviet Union and Jordan Saturday called on Israel to withdraw its forces from Lebanon after talks between His Majesty King Hussein and Kremlin leaders.

King Hussein, in the Soviet Union on a private visit planned before Israel's invasion of Lebanon, met Soviet Prime Minister Nikolai Tikhonov and Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko.

A joint communique quoted by TASS news agency said the three

men had devoted particular atten-tion to the Middle East and had strongly criticised Israeli aggres-

They had denounced the occupation of Lebanese territory, and the "brigandage and atrocities perpetrated by the aggressor against the Lebanese and Palestinian peoples," TASS said.

The two sides spoke out vigorously on maintaining Lebanon's sovereignty and independence right to self-determination and a state of their own. King Hussein's talks in Moscow

and ensuring the legitimate rights

of the Palestinians including their

also covered Soviet-Jordanian relations and ways to promote

Their Majesties King Hussein and Queen Noor arrived in Moscow Friday after spending two days at the Crimean town of Sim-

Hassan, Pakistani foreign minister discuss Israel's Lebanon invasion

AMMAN (Petra) - Israel's invasion of Lebanon and its war of need for increasing coordination at the Prime Ministry. genocide against the Palestinian and Lebanese peoples were discussed in detail at a meeting Saturday between His Royal Highness Crown Prince Hassan, the Regent, and the visiting Pakistaní Foreign Minister Saheb Zadeb Yaqoub Khan.

At the meeting, attended by Prime Minister Mudar Badran, Court Minister Amer Khammash and Foreign Minister Marwan Al Qasem discussion also focused on Islamic countries' efforts for ending the Iraq-Iran war following Irag's recent decision to withdraw its forces from Iranian territory to join efforts for repelling the Zionist aggression.

Stop Israel,

Washington

BAHRAIN (R) — King Fahd of Saudi Arabia told President

Reagan Saturday that Israel's

invasion of Lebanon threatened

world peace and must be stopped,

"What Israel is doing will lead

to serious consequences for peace

in the region and the whole

world." King Fahd said in a tele-

stressed the need for Arab sol-

Palestine Liberation Organ-

isation (PLO) Chairman Yasser

Arafat telephoned King Fahd and

briefed him on the situation in

It said King Fahd reaffirmed

Saudi Arabia's total support for

the Palestinian cause and

informed Mr. Arafat of his con-

sultations with the Arab leaders.

Lebanon, the agency said.

the Saudi Press Agency said.

gram to the president.

Israel," the king said

Fahd tells

among Arab and Islamic nations region. Last year and on several occa-

sions, Jordan warned the Arab and Muslim worlds of Israel's intentions to launch a new widescale aggression against Lebanon and the new developments in the region are but another reminder of Israel's expansionist designs. Prince Hassan said.

He called on the international community, particularly the U.N. Security Council members to shoulder their responsibility and help establish world peace and

Pakistan's charge d'affaires in

Prince Hassan emphasised the Jordan attended the meeting held Mr. Khan, who arrived Friday

days, earlier held talks with Foreign Minister Marwan Al Qasem. They both agreed that Islamic nations should help Lebanon repel the aggression and save the Lebanese and Palestinians from further sufferings. The two ministers also discussed Islamic efforts for ending the Gulf War.

The opportunity is at hand for Iran to respond to Islamic countries' call for an end to the war in the light of the Iraqi's decision to withdraw its forces from Iranian territory, Mr. Qasem said.

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Arab foreign ministers meet to discuss Lebanon

TUNIS (R) - Arab foreign minisurgent talks on the deteriorating forward at the request of the Palestinians who are anxious over the besieged capital.

A special meeting of the Arab League council requested by Kuwait had been set for Tuesday but was brought forward at the request of the Palestine Liberation Organisation (PLO). league sources said.

"It is necessary to stop the bar-baric invasion of Lebanon by The PLO had been reluctant to hold such a meeting before the The agency said King Fahd also results were known of Saudi dipconsulted with a number of Arab lomatic efforts to get the West to leaders during the night on developments in Lebanon and bring pressure on Israel, Arab diplomatic sources said.

But Israel's growing military pressure on Beirut and the need for a joint Arab reaction led the PLO to drop its reservations and request an urgent meeting, the PLO representative in Tunis. Hakem Balaoui, told Reuters.

Several thousand Palestinian commandos and their military commanders are encircled by Israeli troops in the western part of the Lebanese capital.

Lebanon will be represented at ters meet in Tunis Saturday for the meeting, but not by Foreign Minister Fuad Butros because of situation in Lebanon, brought the government crisis precipitated by the resignation of Lebanese Prime Minister Shafiq Al Wazzan,

league sources said. Most Arab states have confirmed they will attend the Tunis meeting, which is to prepare an Arab summit on Lebanon, they said. They expected the summit to follow the ministerial meeting immediately but it was not yet

known where it would take place. Libya, which had asked that-Arab heads of state meet urgently, has announced it is boycotting the ministerial meeting which it said was aimed at burying plans to hold a summit.

Most Arab foreign ministers were expected in Tunis Saturday. including Prince Saud Al Faisal of Saudi Arabia. Abdul Halim Knaddam of Syria, Ahmad Taleb Ibrahim of Algeria and Sheikh Sabah Al Ahmad Al Sabah of Kuwait, league sources said.

The PLO will be represented by the head of its Political Department. Faruk Kaddumi.

King Hassan meets OAU government leaders

RABAT (R) — King Hassan II met government leaders from Guinea, Gabon, Niger, Ivory Coast and Senegal here Friday night, the Moroccan news agency MAP said Saturday.

The agency gave no indication of the purpose of the meeting but the pro-government Moroccan daily Le Matin said the countries were among those which could refuse to attend the summit of the Organisation of African Unity (OAU) in Tripoli on Aug. 3.

It said diplomatic moves were

afoot to organise a boycott of the summit if the Saharan Arab Democratic Republic (SADR) proclaimed by Polisario guerrillas the Western Sahara took part as Aumarou. an OAU member.

The meeting was attended by King Hassan and his Foreign Minister M'hamed Boucetta, President Sekou Toure and his Foreign Minister Abdoulaye Toure, the Ivory Coast Foreign Minister Simeon Ake, Gabonese

Defence Minister Julien. Mpouho-Epigat, Senegalese Foreign Minister Mustapha Niasse, and the Niger ambassador fighting Morocco for control of to the United Nations. Ede

> Morocco has proposed the convening of a special African summit to settle the question of the SADR's membership of the OAU, Rabat and its allies sav the Algerian-backed SADR should not have been admitted because it is not a sovereign state.

Shultz in Washington to take over from Haig

WASHINGTON (R) - George Shultz. President Reagan's choice as secretary of state to succeed Alexander Haig. flew in from London Saturday and was whisked by helicopter to meet the president at his Camp David retreat near here.

Mr. Haig, whose abrupt resignation Friday signalled the end of an uneasy and often acrimonious relationship with other members of the administration, was at work in his office at the State Department. He has promised to remain at his post for as long as needed.

Mr. Shultz, who served as labour secretary and treasury secretary in the administration of former President Richard Nixon. was expected to be swiftly confirmed by the Senate, although Democrats might use his nomination hearings before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee to attack the administration's foreign

The hearings were expected to begin shortly after Congress returns on July 12 from its independence day recess.

Mr. Haig did not give any specific reason for resigning. He told the president in a letter: "In recent months it has become clear to me that the foreign policy on which we embarked together was shifting from that careful course which we laid out."

'Great privilege'

Mr. Shultz, 61, avoided comment when approached by reporters in London before his departure for Washington. He would only say: "It's a great privilege to

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Speculation follows Haig's resignation

LONDON (R) — The resignation of U.S. Secretary of State Alexander Haig brought expressions of new hopefulness Saturday from Arab countries and of regret from Israel as the world sought to predict how the surprise development might affect American foreign policy.

The first predictions of possible effects came from the Middle East, an area now overshadowed by the military conflict in Leba-

Diplomats in Saudi Arabia said that country would regard the appointment of George Shultz to cceed Mr. Haig as good news. Although there was no official Saudi reaction, analysts said Mr. Shultz's past business links there could be a major political asset for the kingdom.

The Palestine Liberation Organisation (PLO) and its Lebanese allies in Israeliencircled Beirut drew comfort from the Haig resignation although some officials doubted that it meant a major shift in U.S. Middle East policy.

The Palestinian news agency WAFA said Mr. Haig was the mam pillar on which Israeli Defence-Minister Ariel Sharon relied in "his scorched earth policy in Lebanon.

The PLO representative in Wasbington said Mr. Haig was one of those responsible for the barbaric massacres committed against the Palestinian and Lebanese peoples."

In Tel Aviv, news of Mr. Haig's resignation brought an expression of deep regret from an Israeli foreign ministry spokesman who called him "an outstanding statesman and a faithful friend of the state of Israel."

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Israel attacks newly-installed Syrian missiles in Lebanon

TEL AVIV (Agencies) — Israel said its planes knocked out a battery of Syrian SAM-6 ground-to-air missiles Saturday as they were being installed in the Bekaa Valley of eastern Lebanon.

But an Israeli military spokesman said an on-the-ground ceasefire in Lebanon declared Friday was otherwise holding.

Israel claimed it had knocked out the entire Syrian network of Soviet-supplied anti-aircraft rockets in the Bekaa in the first week of the war and diplomatic sources in Tel Aviv said they were obviously determined not to allow Damascus to re-establish the missile chain.

The attack on the Syrian missiles took place as Israeli troops remained poised round Beirut while U.S. special envoy. Philip Habib, continued peace negoti-

knocked out Soviet-supplied Syrian SAM-6 missiles in the Bekaa Valley soon after its forces moved into Lebanon on June 6. Diplomatic sources say the

Israel had claimed its jets

Soviet Union has been ferrying in new military supplies to Damascus since then. The SAM-6 network was orig-

inally installed over a year ago after the Israelis shot down two Syrian helicopters in the valley. The command spokesman said Saturday that all Israeli planes had

against the missiles, which were also SAM-6s. The action followed the decla-

returned safely from the operation

ration by Israel Saturday of an on-the-ground ceasefire with

Syrian and Palestinian forces. The ceasefire, the fourth since Israel invaded Lebanon, was declared after a series of heavy air and artillery strikes on Palestinian lighters entrenched in Beirut and against Syrian forces in the mountains east of the Leban-

ese capital. Asked how many SAM-6 rockets had been knocked out Saturday, a military spokesman told Reuters that the Syrians had been

bringing in one battery of missiles. The missiles are mounted in threes on tracked vehicles and are radar guided when operated.

Ground ceasefire holds

Meanwhile the guns stayed silent in Beirut while new diplomatic moves to find a solution to the Israeli siege of the city.

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High-rise apartment buildings in the residential area of Abu Shaker in West Beirut go

up in flames as Israeli jets carry out bombing raids Friday (A.P. wirephoto)

U.S. vetoes French proposal at Security Council

General Assembly draft resolution sets deadline for Israeli withdrawal

bly Saturday considered a draft resolution demanding withdrawal of all Israeli forces from Lebanon. and observers said it was moving towards overwhelming adoption.

The resolution, sponsored by more than 40 Third World countries, called for full Israeli withdrawal by 6 a.m. Beirut time (0400 GMT) Sunday. The assembly action would fol-

low the vetoing by the United States early Saturday of a Security Council resolution demanding that Israeli troops besieging Beirut pull back 10 kilometres from the outskirts of the city and that the Palestinian forces withdraw to their camps.

That French-sponsored draft was supported by 14 of the council's 15 members. The United States said it vetoed

the resolution because it failed to

UNITED NATIONS (R) — The call for the elimination from United Nations General Assember Beirut and elsewhere of Palestinians who did not respect the authority of the Lebanese gov-

with these provisions no later than 6 a.m. Beirut time Sunday, ff Israel failed to comply, the assembly would urge the security Council to consider "practical ways and

U.N. adopts resolution

UNITED NATIONS (R) — The United States and Israel cast the only negative votes when the General Assembly Saturday demanded that Israel withdraw all its forces from Lebanon by early Sunday. The resolution, which received 127 votes in favour and no abstentions, also condemned Israel for failing to implement a previous pull-back demand by the Security Council. It urged the council to consider 'practical ways and means" in the event of non-compliance by Israel-a reference to sanctions.

The draft resolution before the 157-member assembly condemns Israel for failing to implement previous Security Council calls for an unconditional withdrawal from Lebanon and a halt to all military

It demands that Israel comply

means in accordance with the Charter of the United Nations." This was a reference to sanctions, which only the council can impose. But such a move would

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'1 million children are victims of Israel'

UNITED NATIONS (R) - The Palestine Liberation Organisation (PLO) said Friday nearly one million children had been affected by the Israeli aggression and genocide in Lebanon. At a special session of the Gen-

eral Assembly, PLO delegate Zehdi Labib Terzi said: "Almost one million children, this is the estimate of UNICEF, yes almost one million children are victims of the most recent of Israeli aggressions and acts of genocide by Israel."

Mr. Terzi said there had been a heavy toll in Palestinian refugee camps, but added that if Israeli leaders thought they could destroy the Palestinians, "we shall prove them wrong."

Rolando Lopez del Amo of Cuba, which holds chairmanship of the Non-Aligned Movement. said if Israel did not withdraw its troops from Lebanon, the U.N. had the duty to impose sanctions.

Massamba Sarre of Senegal, from a number of U.N. agencies. chairman of the U.N. Committee on Palestinian Rights, said the Lebanon situation was but one aspect of a problem whose core was the Palestine question.

Victor Gaucí of Malta, rapporteur of the committee, said Israel had no right to destroy the Palestinians because they opposed Israeli aggression.

Jasim Yousif Jamal of Qatar said the aggression, in which Israel had used American weapons, was a barbarous massacre motivated by hatred of the Arabs. Crimes were committed on the pretext of security and the dimensions of the Lebanon tragedy surpassed all condemnation.

Later, Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar announced the establishment of a U.N. survey

mission to assess relief and rehabilitation needs in Lebanon. The 11-member team, drawn

and a new research, where the contract of the

will be under the chairmanship of Sweden's U.N. representative, Ambassador Anders Thunborg. It is to leave for Lebanon "at the

make recommendations on the type, scope and priorities for international assistance The mission is being dispatched

earliest possible opportunity" and

in response to a request from the Lebanese government, the secretary general said.

its members include staff from the World Food Programme (WFP). the U.N. Children's Fund (UNICEF), the Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO), the U.N. Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNRWA), the World Health Organisation (WHO), the U.N. High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR), and the U.N. Disaster Relief Coordinator's Office

(UNDRO).

Well-known Palestinian film producer reflects on living under oppression

By Tania Nasir Special to the Jordan Times

Living under oppression can have various effects on the oppressed; the two main extremes are either to break the person completely and make him accept the situation as his fate or it can bring out the rebel in him. In the following article Tania Nasir interviews a Palestinian film producer on whom life under Israeli rule had the latter effect. Michel Khleifi was born on Nov. 3, 1950 in Nazareth where he received his high-scool education, later to join the Brussel's Institute Nationale Superieure des Arts et des Spectacles from which he graduated in 1977. His thesis was on Art and Culture of the Arab in Israel. After working in the theatre, radio, TV and on special documentaries, through which he acquainted himself with the avant garde methods and techniques of production, he produced his film La Memoire Fertile (the fertile memory) which won the first prize of the International Critics Association and was later selected by the French Critics Association for the Cannes Film Festival. The two central figures in the film are both women. The first, a 50-year old widow from Nazareth whose husband died in exile in 1948, struggles to raise her two children in dignity, all the while hoping to recover her plot of land expropriated by the Israeli government in 1948, struggles to raise her two children in dignity, all the while hoping to recover her plot of land expropriated by the Israeli government in 1948; and the other is a young writer from Nablus in the occupied West Bank, married at 18 and divorced 13 years later, who struggles to gain custody of her two daughters. But beneath that, the story studies persecution, mainly how a persecuted people like the Jews of Europe became persecuters in the Middle East, and whether by analogy the Palestinians will develop the elements of persecution within them, which it attempts by studying the persecuted women.

Q. Let us begin with your child-hood: how would you describe growing up under Israeli occupation in Nazareth?

A. I was born in 1950, and like all Arab children of my generation. I opened my eyes early to the realisation that my family. neighbours, and all the people of my city were suffering from being a minority, and from poverty. But persecution that enveloped us from every corner. Israeli occupation forced itself upon us.

I am a city boy. My family, too, has lived in the city for generations, so what I lost as a result of the 1948 war was not the same as a village boy, a piece of land or an orchard, but I lost my identity. I became persecuted. My character.

these years of estrangement, f was a different man. I was grown-up. I was aware, and I started dealing with others with knowledge and awareness, but most of all with less fear. I was always terrified of entering a Jewish city or town, and now for the first time it was dif-

There are two basic and distinct feelings that grew-up in me, and which I hlame Zionism for: fear and hatred. They entered my very, soul, and threatened my existence. Freedom is to live without fear or hatred, and I yearned for freedom.

Growing-up in Nazareth was an act of defiance, continuous and arduous. I was 10 years old, and I remember the Israelis boastfully telling us: "Look at us, we have Freud, Einstein, etc..., and what are you? Nothing". As I grew-up I wanted desperately to learn, to know more and answer them as an equal, fearless confident, proud.

O. Was the educational system in the Arab schools in Nazareth helpful to you in your search for confidence and identity?

A. No. The whole system of education for Arab schools under occupation was designed to make us inferior citizens. The Arah teachers were asked to carry out this educational programme. This was Israel's way of trying in every way possible, to crase our Arab identity and our pride, and most of all our pride in our culture. This developed in me a great sense of conviction that in order to progress, we have to overcome this inferiority, hatred and fear, and replace it with confidence, pride, and honour.

Q. Can you trace the beginning of your interest in the Cinema?

A. The world of the Cinema came to me quite late. I used to watch the usual cowboy movies and Hollywood productions. But what really affected my intellectual life as a boy, was the Itihad newscovering things -- facts about my paper, a leading Arabic paper surroundings and the conditions published by the Communist Party. I am very proud to have of my life under occupation. Every thing felt alien and strange; I was been part of the generation that opened its eyes to the universal afraid all the time. The first time I dared enter Israeli society without human issues that this paper presented. As I read it. I lived with several years abroad. Being away famous writers and leaders like taught me a great deal. It gave me Tawfiq Zayyad, Mahmoud Darwish and many other intelligent, experience and opened my eyes to a lot of truths, especially about revolutionary writers. My schoolmates and I looked up to Zionism. I realised that Zionisim is nothing hut a continuation of them with pride and admiration. the intellectual movements in They were our heroes. We fol-Europe, holding in its folds all the lowed their news and movements elements of Fascism. Al this I as they went in and out of Israeli learnt when I was away, and when jails. We watched spell bound as

I returned home to Nazareth after they recited their revolutionary tinian identity. Many artists in the poetry. Their prime cause was the Palestinian cause, the Palestinian human being", and the freedom of Palestine. They spoke to our suffering and dreamed of an independent Palestine, on a par with other countries in the world. The Itihad did fantastic job in correlating the Palestinian progressive intellectual movement with international intellectual life.

world have reached this goal, each to serve his own needs of course, but very few Palestinian artists have succeeded up till now.

Q. Apart from your natural talent for the Cinema, was there a special experience in your life that brought you to the point of producing La Memoire Fertile, the film that hrought you prizes and

I was born in 1950 and, like all Palestinian Arab children of my generation, I opened my eyes early to the realisation that my family, neighbours and all the people of my city were suffering from being a minority and from poverty. But, most of all, I became aware of the persecution that enveloped us from every corner. Israeli occupation forced itself

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Cannes?

And as far as I am concerned, no other Arabie newspaper succeeded in doing this. My experience with the Itihad decided my

Then I must not forget, there were my parents, simple and honest. My father is a communist. He felt the injustices and miseries around him, and communism he felt, was the answer to his prohlems. My father's arguments touched me deeply. I could not ignore the logic of his philosophies.

My mother on the other hand was a believer in Christ and his kinship. To her Christ was not just a religious ideal, but a countryman of her own city. They were both bern in Nazareth. In this milieu rich with morality and metaphysics, practicality, persecution and a constant search for freedom and justice, I grew-up sensitive hut not a saint. On the contrary, I am an Cinema. atheist. I ask myself who am I? To product of the East and West. The brother, on the other hand conflict in me is wide enough to inspired me directly for work in always wonder about this life in this context. For example, I am a I was attracted to what he was man who believes in his Eastern doing of course, all of us as chilroots, and I believe my real age is not thirty years, but four thousand year, and in this I find my strength. and from this reality I face my challenges. Yet at the same time I am constantly looking around me. Living other human experiences. If the Palestinian mind always probes what surrounds him and learns from what it sees. It will reach realms of great creanvity.

Q. In your opinion can the Palestinian artist create more in occupation or out of it?

A. Look around you. In Haifa. Nazareth, Ramallah etc... How many outstanding artists do you find? The number is surely limited because the creative situation is limited. Of course there are a number of well-known writers and artists, and others who are not so well-known, but equally strive for the chance to be heard and seen. yet they all suffer from a major problem. They are all under strain and persecution. Occupation does not leave them time to create. They are not at peace. To be an artist, to create, one has to reach a certain degree of personal independence and freedom of spirit.

One has to have time for discoveries and soul searching and Israeli occupation certainly is not the atmosphere where Palestinian art can be nurtured.

Some artists feel that they have to leave the prison like atmosphere of occupation in order to be able to create. Others prefer to stay and struggle on base.

Q. How do you envisage art, in the service of the Palestinian cause?

A. Art is based on human honesty and intellectual courage and integrity. This is a great responsibility. What I yearn and work for, is to see each Palestinian my next production I am going to artist, and each Palestinian in his search for a new identity to reach in his inner most self, and expose the truths, all truths. To open-up, and go all the way. If this does not take place if some truths are hidden and kept away, then the artist and reality we find ourselves still is a failure. You see, self knowledge, honest and sincere, is the point of departure on the path of World, that brought about what oursearch for a new healthy Pales- Sadat did!

A. It all goes back to the most important period in my life, I was

fourteen when I left school, and worked as a ear mechanic until the age of twenty. This was in Nazareth, and my leaving school was some kind of rebellion against all norms and social traditions. It was a very difficult period in my life. I was against everyone and every thing. I did not know how to behave, and I thought that leaving school was an answer to all this turmoil within me.

But I regretted this. I cried and I ached, alone and silently. I felt it was a mistake, but I used this experience to huild my character and conquer my problems. I read a lot and prepared myself for the day when I would leave and continue my education. Then it was Brussels and the world of the

All these experiences prepared me, the answer is simple. I am a me mentally for my career. My include all issues. Man has to the theatre and the Cinema. He worked in the theatre himself, and dren loved acting, and we enjoyed performing simple folk plays. Yet the real turning point in my life as a whole was the 1967 war. I felt an acute total sense of loss. The defeat was overwhelming. I was

recognition at Carthage and

belonging. So let us put these thoughts forward, and present them in the eighties and a new reality! From such thoughts came La Memoire Fertile. The Fertile Memory in translation. It is a memory, true, but it is fertile and alive, ready to give hirth to a new beginning. Up till now, our memories in the Arab World are used to hringing up the past and recreate by gone glories. But we should he very careful of the dangers of such a path. Look at Zionism for example. It is a philosophy huilt on a dead past. It killed any new thought with its fanation tenacious hold of the past. Zionist thought is a delayed historic event. It came too late, and therefore killed itself hefore it even hegan. There is no future in the Zionist dream. Therefore we have to be careful as Palestinians, and we should stop and think, and learn

When I heard that Sadat had

gone to Jerusalem, I said to

myself, "That's it, the dream is

over. We have to become realistic.

put both feet on the ground and

start building". I felt we have to

start preparing ourselves for a

long period of what I call wan-

dering. For some, this might be a

defeatist theory, but I look at it as

very positive. We have wasted

enough time beating around the

hush. Now is the time to start from

Some tell me this is only a poet's

answer, but it is my way, and I

I tried to show this philosophy

in La Memoire Fertile. The prob-

lem I explore is that of genuiness.

If we are defeated, it does not

mean that our culture is defeated,

for defeat is only for a people, a

way of life, a class system, but not

of a culture. Our Palestinian art.

culture is not defeated. It still

lives, strong and vibrant, the only

thing that still fights for us, defend-

ing us against all the tides of

It goes deep and genuine and

that is why we have been able to

survive for the last years of misery.

Our strength stems from our

genuine reality and sense of

scratch, to create a new philoso-

phy for our existence.

believe in it.

Q. Are you optimistic about a new path for the 80's?

from all human, and historic

experiences around us, for fear

that we might also, foolishly com-

mit suicide. We have to find a new

A. I am from Nazareth, and therefore I am a mixture of both optimism and pessimism. The Arab word 'Mutashael' coined by Emil Habihi fits me well. As I explained earlier, my view of life is total and not divided, and this I feel is the way it should be. If we present our case from this context we have a

Look around you. In Haifa, Nazareth, Ramallah... How many outstanding artists do you find? The number is surely limited because the creative situation is limited. Of course, there are a number of well-known writers and artists, and others who are not so well-known, but strive equally for the chance to be heard and seen; yet, they all suffer from a major problem. They are all under strain and persecution. Occupation does not leave time to create. They are not at peace. To be an artist, to create, one has to reach a certain degree of personal independence and freedom of spirit.

One has to have time for discoveries and soul searching and Israeli occupation certainly is not the atmosphere where Palestinian art can be nurtured. Some artists feel that they have to leave the prisonlike atmosphere of occupation in order to be able to create. Others prefer to stay and struggle...

sixteen years at the time. All the 'Holy Cows' ran away. Neither my father nor my mother, my church or my nationalism brought me comfort. Life had no meaning any more. In the years that followed I desperately searched to find an onswer to all the endless questioning I went through. I wanted to find positive answers for this defeat. La Memoire Fertile was my answer.

I tried to explain defeat in a poetic, human spiritual form. But in deal with it realistically. We are a defeated nation, we have to realise this. We have to say it loud and clear, and face it with courage and reality. Because we have failed up till now to reach this point of truth very much confused. It is this state of utter confusion in the Arab chance of winning. Persecution is our problem. Can we disect this persecution? Can we bonestly separate Palestinian persecution from Black persecution?

No. Persecution is persecution, essentially the same, all over the world. And only when we present issues as a complete whole will we able to show the honest truth, and reach people we have never been able to reach before.

Q. Let us now talk about 'La Memoire Fertile itself. How did the idea for the film first start, and why did you choose Woman as your subject?

A. In Brussels, I specialised in the field of einema. After completing my studies I worked at Local TV stations, and filmed several documentaries and programmes. I was exposed to avant-garde methods and techniques. I studied them diligently and carefully, until

I could form a style of my own to serve my purposes m the presentation of the Palestinian cause. I searched for a study to force itself on the public. When I was satisfied with the style, I had to look for the subject. It had to be Palestinian one hundred per cent. So I chose Persecution, and I

mental dialogue:

But who persecuts me? The Israelies.

Persecution.

kind of a ghoul that you cannot handle?

No, they are people like me and you. I studied their history and went deep into their lives and found that they were a victims to Hitler and his like. But how did the victim, become

now the executioner? I was terrified. For I too am a victim, does this mean, that I too will become an executioner? I looked into myself, and saw, that like all of my compatriots, I had all the components of persecution within me. was capable of persecuting, myself, man, woman and ehild. My society was an object of my persecution. I came to the conclusion, that if I wanted to discuss this haunting theme, I had to deal with it, raw and naked, from zero point. And that is why I chose to portray Woman, persecuted, she the core of society and the world. As I entered the world of woman. I realised that the film I am making, is not only about Woman but for her too.

Q. Where did you first show the film? And how were the reviews?

A. When I completed work on the film, I was privileged to first present it at the Carthage Festival in Tunis. This was my aim all along, ved before any thing else.

There is a scene in the film that shows a young modern Nazareth girl, polishing her toes while singing a naive love song. It is a very realistic scene, yet many in the audience walked out on the film saving, is this what you call Palestinian resistance? At Carthage found myself going through this there were International film critics. And they awarded me first Why do you want to make a prize of the International critics film on persecution? Because I am association and first prize for a Palestinian - I feel and live in execution. Many of those critics spoke highly of the film, and made it possible for me to show it at the festival sponsored by the French Who are they? Are they some critics association. They saw two hundred films, and chose seven to be presented at Cannes. La Memoire Fertile was amongst the seven chosen. La Memoire Fertile was a film that sold itself. No one really pushed it, and this shows that the Zionist influence that we are all terrified of, is beginning to diminish in the face of good bonest

> "La Memoire Fertile is a strong realistic film. It is simple yet deep. And my dream is to reach a stage in my career, when I will be able to produce films in and for the Arab World. I say this because I feel the policy for cultural life in the Arab World is rotten and deteriorating. I see friends of mine working in the West, not because they love it there, but because they cannot work in the Arab World. The atmosphere in the Arab World is not fit for creativity and free expression. There is no respect from one man to the other. No one listens to anyone else. And that is why our society is a closed society. We do not see or hear each other, and our lives as a result are superficial, and it is only when we start looking and seeing and hearing one another, with respect then we will begin to huild.

Q. Our Arab audiences are not used to seeing modern documentaries on themselves. Don't you

As I grew up I wanted desperately to learn, to know more and to answer them (the Israelis) as an equal - fearless, confident and proud.

... I am a cityboy. I did not loose land, like the village boy. But, like him, Israeli occupation stepped on my dignity. We have to stop and think, as Palestinians, if our land one day returns to us, will we have solved our problem. Would the return of land answer our many questions? No. Of course not, for it is not only the land that we are missing now, we are also missing our insulted dignity, and this issue has to be resolved before anything else ...

Let us take our Palestinian problem. Our cause is "human". It is not an empty dream or a set of loud words thrown here and there; and, that is how we should treat it, with dignity and reality, just as it is.

if the film was first shown in the the eyes of feeling and emotion ... I was sad and withdrawn for the last two and half years in Paris. Now your film has given me new life. It gave me hope and vision." I really must be honest and admit that such praise is unbelievable to me. I am still very much the young simple Nazareth boy, and I cannot

front of an Arab audience. It was

the natural place for it. This fact

handle all this attention all of a sudden. But I am happy, and satis-On the other hand there were those who saw the film negatively, and had many criticisms of it. All aspects, the negative and the posithose who were used to seeing the tive, and to me this is the modern Palestinian problem through presentation of things. In the 70s slogans were disappointed in the we in the Arab World started to film. In fact they were against it. think along these lines, and this is This is what I was always airaid of, what opened us up to the world. and it proved true. My theory is We started thinking interthat if we are used to discussing nationally and our attitude any issue through empty sweeping towards our problem became statements and slogans, when, for wider and more realistic and not some reasons the slogans stop, the just pure folkloric. issue at hand will lose all momentum and they will stop also. Let us Q. What are your future planafter take our Palestinian problem. Our cause is "human". It is not an tile? empty dream or a set of loud words thrown here and there, and that is how we should treat it with dignity and reality, just as it is.

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to launch my film from where it agree that there should be some belongs. In an Arab country in kind of introductions for such films as La Memoire Fertile?

was very very important to me, for A. When I made this film, I felt that I am doing a simple a down to West, it would have been labelled earth film. And this is what it is to as an imported film. I should men- me. The strong opposition that I tion here that the first time I saw was met with from some parts, is the completed version of the film exactly what believe will one day was at Carthage. I saw it together become the opposite, a support with the audience, for it was com- for it. For a number of those who pleted just on the day of the show- did not like it at first showing realing. It was very exciting. The reac-ised its message upon a second tions were tremendously positive showing. For when we see the and I lived some of the most beaut- film, we see something of our own iful moment of my life. For exam- true real life. The ugly and the ple, the Iranian film director beautiful, and this we are not use Parvez, on seeing the film, cried to seeing. But when we are sub-and said to me, "You write with jected to it, the experience is jected to it, the experience is cathartic, and worth the painful realisations of the true self.

But I agree with you, that the oridinary Arab viewer who is not sensitive or artistic, might miss the message of the film and react negatively towards it. Those who hate the film are those who are highly politicised. They see it from a purely political angle, the way their own ideologies happen to dictate. This is not fair or correct. The film is a controversial one. It is a film that shows life in all its

the success of La Memoire Fer-

A. My next work is a film similar in technique to La Memoire Fertile. It tells the story of a young Palestinian girl who faces defeat in her own village and society in Galilee. She leaves her town and the film begins at Charles de Gaulle Airport in Paris, and goes on to show the girl, lost and foresaken in this strange European world. She has a lover who is supposed to meet her but does not come. And she faces the world

The woman in La Memoire Fertile is a symbol of persecution. In

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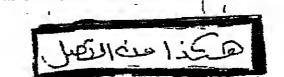
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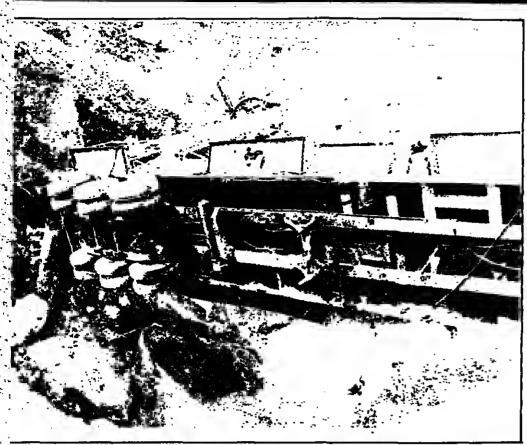
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Jordan's water needs up to the year 2000. By then the country will be needing nearly 240 million cubic metres of water annually.

The well, discovered by JVA prospecting teams last Monday will oo doubt contribute towards solving Jordan's water problems, Dr. Haddadin said, All laboratory country's water problems.

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well's productive capacity is about one and a half times more than the storage capacity of the King Talal Dam. Still, the JVA, continues to prospect for other artesian wells with the purpose of solving the

Academy of Arabic holds one-day seminar

AMMAN (Petra) — The Jordan ence Faculty, Dr. Khalifa Academy of Arabic (JAA) Saturday held a one-day seminar on He said that JAA has compiled organised by Al Salt Community part.

Addressing the audience JAA President Abdul Karim Khalifa poke about the various challenges confronting Arabic and current efforts aimed at using Arabie tanguage in scientific research throughout the Arab

In his speech Dr. Khalifa spoke about the development and achievements of the academy and the Arabicisation of scientific texthooks for university students. So far five of such text books used by students in the first year of university have been Arabicised and work is going on at present for Arabicising 12 other textbooks used in the secood year at the Sci-

He said that JAA has compiled Arabic language issues and the several compendiums dealing with role of the academy in tackling commerce, industry, agriculture them. Taking part in the seminar and aviation. The lecture was folwere teachers participating in a lowed by question-and-answer current training course on Arabic session in which the teachers took



Abdul Karim Khalifa

NCC Committee appoints chairman

AMMAN (Petra) - The National Consultative Council's Follow-up Committee met Saturday and elected Dr. Jamal Al Sha'er as chairman and Mrs. Laila Sharaf as rapporteur.

Irbid governor studies raising city's water supply

IRBID (Petra) -- Irbid Governor Abd Khalaf Daoudiyeh discussed with Water Supply Corporation officials here Saturday increasing Irbid's share of water pumped by

the corporation. He also inspected water tanks at

Hofa and examined water distribution operations. He called for fair distribution and for pumping more water to higher regions of

At present Irbid receives oearly 7,000 cubic metres of water daily

Jordan Association of Jurists calls for boycotting America

AMMAN (J.T.) — The Jordan Association of Jurists (JAJ) Saturday issued an appeal to all Arab countries to take a drastic and very firm stand toward the United States. A JAJ statement said that all Arabs should boycott the United States. It would be much better for the Arabs to die. if needs be, in boycotting the U.S. than die by U.S. made napalm bombs made with Arab oil, the statement said.

The statement called on nonaligned nations to support the Arab cause and uphold the principles on which their movement has been established. Non-aligned

since in the United Nations and other international organisations have become a tool in the hands of the superpowers and therefore rendered ineffective, particularly due to these powers' resort to the right of veto in an arbitrary and inhuman manner, the statement

The JAJ statement ealled on the Arab countries to unite and pool their strength and resources, since they are the only means for confronting the Zionist enemy. "We call on all Arab states to transcend their differences and stop their propaganda campaigns against

nations are invited to act quickly one another, and also to reexamine their stands before it is

"We need action and no words, and we need to see the Arabs united in repelling Israel's aggression directed against the Palestinian and Lebanese people", the statement added.

The JAJ statement voiced sup port to the Arab Federation of Jurists for steps taken on the international level and its call on humanitarian organisations to exercise pressure on Israel to force it to allow relief supplies to get through to the tens of thousands of displaced people.



His Royal Highness Crown Prince Hassan (right) meets on Saturday with (in order to the left) visiting Pakistani Foreign Minister Sahib Zabah

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Wahadneh Municipality in Irbid

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He said that the municipality

tast month opened a clinic and

now has plans for opening a school.

countries.

Court Minister Amer Khammash, and Fureign Minister Marwan Al Qasem. (Petra photo)

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yrian missiles attacked

Signature by presence in Lebanon. Palestinian news agency

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details were given but r Lebanese Prime Minister ___Salam, who has played a ween role in negotiations. porters: "There has been a evelopment. I believe things oking better. Maybe there now be a new assessment." il now the Israelis have been iding, through Mr. Habib. urrender of PLO arms and ture of all Palestinian comos from Lebanon.

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eutralising the Palestinian osals were mainly a revised version of the French resolution vetoed by the United States in the U.N. Security Council Saturday. This resolution called for sep-

aration of Israeli and Palestinian forces and the interposing of neutral observers between them.

Diplomatic sources said chances had improved for an agreement to neutralise PLO military strength, curb Lebanese armed militia forces and restore the authority of the Lebanese central government.

Role of Lebanese army

The Lebanese army, which fell apart in the 1975-6 civil war, has been gradually reformed but until now has taken no part in any con-

U.S. and Israeli negotiators and many Lebanese politicians want to see the army take full charge once more of Lebanese security.

A possible sign that the army might soon be deployed came with an order from the high command that all soldiers who had dispersed to their homes since the Israelis invaded Lebanon on June 6 should now return to their units. A national security police.

nultz arrives to take over from Haig

administration on the policy of

refraining from condemnation of

Israel's military advance into

Lebanon. Mr. Haig is the leading

proponent of that policy and there

was speculation here that it might

resignation was said to be his

opposition to the president's deci-

sion to bar European subsidiaries or licensees of U.S. companies

from supplying equipment for a

\$10 billion pipeline that will carry

natural gas from the Soviet Union

Like Mr. Haig, Mr. Shultz is

seeo as a friend of Europe and has

voiced opposition in the past to

the use of trade as a diplomatic

lican conservative credeotials,

conservatives expressed dis-

appointment at his nomination

while welcoming the departure of

Mr. Haig, whose foreign policy they felt was ideologically soft.

president of the giant Bechtel

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firm, had a traditional government

and business background that did

not fit in with the Reagan con-

Mr. Shultz's association with

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Conservatives felt Mr. Shultz,

Although Mr. Shultz has repub-

A major factor in Mr. Haig's

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One diplomatic source said the United States had proposed the One diplomatic source said the . united States had proposed the evacuation of PLO forces from Lebanon.

There was no indication where they might go, but Israel has refused to consider letting the Palestinians settle in any country on its borders.

Mr. Habib has assured Mr. Salam when he delivered news of the ceasefire that it would be fioal and lasting--unlike three previous

The words roused speculation that Washington might have applied pressure on the Israeli government to halt a bombardment which brought heavy bloodshed and destruction to residential areas of the capital.

This feeling was reinforced by Friday's resignation of U.S. Secretary of State Alexander Haig, regarded here as blatantly pro-Israeti.

Israel and Haig's departure Meanwhile, Israel's ministers assessed on Saturday the possible impact of Alexander Haig's resignation as secretary of state on future U.S.-tsraeli relations.

While some officials expressed concern that the resignation could herald a tougher approach by Washington towards the government of Israeli Prime Minister similar order went out to the Menachem Begin others adopted a wait-and-see stance.

Bechtel, a company that does a

significant part of its business in

Saudi Arabia, is certain to lead to

close questioning by senators on

the depth of his commitment to

bers of Congress have expressed uneasiness that Mr. Shultz will be

joining a cabinet that already

includes a former general counsel of Bechtel, Mr. Weinberger. The

defence secretary is known to

have favoured a tougher line

towards Israel after its invasioo of

first major oil pipeline and has a

\$9 billion contract to build a com-

plete city, Al Jubail.

Bechtel buitt Saudi Arabia's

Although Mr. Shultz has never

had a top job in diplomacy he is

familiar with Washington's cor-

ridors of power. He has served as

an economic adviser to the

administration and to the trans-

ition organisation that prepared

for its entry into office in January,

trip for the president in pre-

paration for the Western

economic summit at Versailles

and beld talks with leaders of

countries allied to the United

Last month he made a 10-day

Some strongly pro-Israel mem-

Foreign Ministry spokesman Avi Pasner voiced Israel's satisfaction with a U.S. veto in the United Nations Security Council of a French Resolution calling for the withdrawal of Israeli and Palestinian forces from Beirut.

which was in line with the goal of trying to find a political solution to the Lebanon problem, Mr. Pasner

The United States had said the French resolution failed to underline the need for the restoration of central government authority in Lebanon through disarming the Palestinian fighters.

of Tel Aviv in protest against the conflict. They waved posters with slogans such as "Stop Israeli ageression in Lebanon.

As coocern grew in Israel about

the human cost of the war, 2,500

people demoostrated in the centre

military solution to the Palestinian problem" and "Stop the bloodshed now." They were addressed by members of the Peace Now movement and other left-wing groups. Several speakers called for the

resignation of Mr. Sharon and the immediate withdrawal of Israeli troops from Lebanon.

General Assembly sets deadline

almost certainly be blocked by a

The assembly, whose decisions are not mandatory. began meeting Friday on the situation in Lebanon at the request of the Non-Aligned Movement, comprising nearly 100 Third World countries.

EEC rejects Israeli claim

Speaking on behalf of the 10 members of the European Economic Community (EEC). Ambassador Edmonde Dever of

Belgium told the assembly that tsrael's invasion of Lebanon was a flagrant violation of international law and of the most fundamental humanitarian principles.

The 10 rejected Israel's claim to be acting in self-defence and reaffirmed their support for Lebanon's independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity.

Israel's withdrawal was imperative. Miss Dever said, adding that the current situation was intolerable. "Insofar as the situation in

Beirur is concerned, in particular, the 10 demand that this eity be spared fighting," she said.

If Israel continued to refuse to implement previous security council resolutions, the EEC would "envisage what future action might be taken," she said. noting that it had postponed the signing of a linancial agreement

Haig's resignation

In Cairo, the minister of state for foreign affairs said Egypt hoped that Mr Shultz would foltow a more positive role towards Middle East developments than did his predecessor. In Europe, West Germany paid

warm tribute to Mr. Haig but also welcomed Mr. Shultz as a man who understood Europe. A Bonn government spokesman said he expected continuity in

U.S. foreign policy under Mr. Shultz. French and British Foreign Ministry sources expressed surprise over Mr. Haig's resignation.

One British conservative newspaper, the Daily Telegraph, said the resignation was bad news for the Western alliance since Mr. Haig was the only top official in the Reagan administration with deep experience of Washington's European allies.

The president of the European Economic Community (EEC) Council of Ministers, Belgian Foreign Minister Leo Tindemans, said he was "worried and saddened' by the resignation.

In a personal message to Mr. Haig, Mr. Tindemans said the confidence which the former secretary of state's deep understanding of European problems had created would be missed in Western Europe.

The only sharp initial reaction from the Soviet bloc to the Haig resignation came from a Polish newspaper which said the development was "the heaviest blow inflicted on the adventurist foreign policy pursued by President Reagan."

The paper. Zycie Warszawy, said Mr. Haig, like many Americaus, "maintained that White House foreign policy was getting dangerous-to the extent that if was better to dissociate himself There was no immediate official

comment from Moscow on the change in Washington but TASS news agency said Mr. Haig had explained his resignation as resulting from differences within the U.S. government over foreign policy issues.

Newspapers in Argentina reacted to Mr. Haig's departure with expressions of lingeriog resentment of his role in the Falklands crisis.

One paper said Mr. Haig's attempt at mediation in the crisis, "far from preventing or atteouating the clash, took it to a highly bloody resolution."

JD 49,000 for road building in Mafraq

MAFRAQ (Petra) - A teoder the coming month. Amman next month, July, oo an official visit to Jordan during roads in Al Mafrag District at the which the delegation will hold talks with officials from the public and private sectors on improving the project is expected to start in projects.

has been floated for asphalting. Mafraq Municipality also reported that its engineering cost of JD 49,000. The work office has drawn up a comentails asphalting nine kilometres prehensive plan for several vil-of roads leading to the villages of lages in Mafraq District. These Khatleh, Al Aqaba, Bal'ama, plans define roads, sites for establ-Hamamneh, Umm Al Quntain, Al ishing centres of public services Muneiseh and Tayyeb. Work on and provides for future expansion

Cooperative Institute empowered to grant diplomas

AMMAN (Petra) - The Higher in cooperative accountancy and Education Council has approved a request by the Cooperative Institute to organise courses on

cooperative work and to award diplomas in this field starting the coming scholastic year.

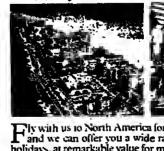
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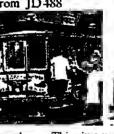
five participants will be accepted in each branch, Dr. Murad said. He said that the courses will be worked out in a manner most appropriate for Jordanian cooperative organisations.

cooperative management. Twenty

The Cooperative Institute is run Director Faisal Murad, the insti- by the Jordan Cooperative Organtute will initially start twn courses isation.

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Taking action, the right way

RECENT STATEMENTS, and, perhaps, developments in and over the Middle East suggest that the U.S. administration, while still intent on supporting Israel and treating it as its "strategic asset" in the area, is getting somewhal embarrassed by Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin's intransigence and by that of his Defence Minister Sharon, compared to whom Begin may be seen as a

Judging by statements of U.S. leaders, former and present, it is not the Israeli atrocities and flagrant violations of every code of civilised behaviour that disturbs them, but Israel's lack of coordination with the U.S. over these violations.

Experience shows that when the U.S. leadership does not approve of a certain Israeli behaviour, it takes action, sometimes clumsy actions, to set the score more to its liking. Experience also shows that the West is loathe to take drastic steps against the Israelis, although it is evident that nothing short of drastic steps will be sufficient to stop them and make them pursue a more moderate pol-

Every time the U.S. felt the need to take action in the Middle East it would send an envoy on a fact-finding mission; the envoy would travel from one Mideast capital to another and prepare yet another report. But the U.S. would persist in its policy of "tut tut, Israel, you should not use our weapons to kill civilians. Now take a few hundred more tanks

with which to do so." The long legacy of cowboyish U.S. policies. which invariably bred more radicalism among Arabs, is the legacy that new Secretary of State George Shultz takes up.

Mr. Shultz is not new to American politics, and it may be too optimistic to expect drastic changes in U.S. policies in the Middle East with his appointment as secretary of state. But it is also obvious that nothing short of a drastic change in U.S. policies would be sufficient to bring about the lasting peace for which all parties claim to aspire.

How Mr. Shultz will handle his new job remains to be seen, and the world will watch carefully. But one thing is certain: he simply cannot hope to make do with his predecessor's incoherent policies of riding every crisis as it crops up, the wrong way.

JORDAN'S ARABIC PRESS EDITORIALS

Al Ra'i: Arabs escalating their disputes

Now that the battle for Beirut has started we can only express our gratitude to the Lebanese and Palestinian fighters and say: You have fought an honourable war with the most noble mission, and you have proved that our people offers so many sacrifices in defence of its right to live, and therefore this people cannot perish. To the Arabs who have been idly watching the massacre we say: Why do you call for a foreign ministers emergency meeting now? What do you intend to do? And what will you decide upon ...? Do you want to express sympathy for the victims or the martyrs who fell in Lebanon, or do you intend to transform the meeting into a relief or charitable society through which you will send your millions to relieve the victims and treat the wounded... money you have not exerted any effort in collecting?

Al Dustour: American-Israeli conspiracy is just the beginning

The days ahead are bound to be crucial, not only for the battle of Beirut alone but also for the future of Lebanon as a whole, in accordance with American and Israeli plans which aim at imposing hegemony over that country and foreing it to conclude a separate peace treaty with Israel. The American stand is rather dubious... it is condoning Israel's barbaric massacres in Lebanon and at the same time employing Philip Hahib to play a rather suspect role, which is in fact consistent with Israel's drive to annihilate the Palestinian people by destroying Beirut and us neighbouring refugee

The Palestinians are now standing alone, contronting the American-Israeli conspiracy and

But will the martyrs accept any prayers for their souls from you? Are the displaced people in Lebanon awaiting help and assistance from your blood-stained hands?

We say to the Arabs: despite everything that happened, the victims and martyrs are sure of one thing: that you have managed after all to maintain your friendly relations with the United States. keeping its embassics open in your capitals and guaranteeing its economic interests in your countries, something one expects from loyal friends who keep promises and honour agreements...

The victims and martyrs can look and see the Arabs stabbing one another in the back and escalating their disputes instead of coming to the aid of the Lebanese and Palestinians in their darkest hours, all for the sake of preserving their posts and safeguarding their own selfish interests.

awaiting the final assault on Beirut. Therefore any political efforts are now fruitless, and will not stop the Israelis from storming the Lebanese capital. The French initiative calling for a U.N. Security Council emergency session came too late, and no one can predict what will happen at the council meeting. The French resolution aims at disarming the Palestinians and only asks Israel to lift its siege of Beirut, but contains no condemnation of Israel's invasion, nor does it provide for a withdrawal of Israeli forces from Lebanon.

The Arab moves, as usual, have come very late, because the rapidly moving events in Lebanon do not wait for the Arab foreign ministers meeting on Tuesday, and therefore such a meeting will be held when it is too late to do anything at all.

The juggernaut of Begin's Zionism | Habre clings to

By Edward W. Said

The writer, a professor of English at Columbia University, is a member of the Palestine National Council. He wrote this article for the New

NEW YORK — Israel's invasion of Lebanon makes a self-fulfilling prophecy of Menachem Begin's view of Zionism, which reduces Palestinians either to pacified inhabitants of Judea and Samaria or to terrorists.

Anyone following Israel's actions in Lebanon should be aghast at the enormous scale of destruction. Sidon and Tyre are Lebanese cities to which Palestinian refugee camps were attached. Both have been laid waste, their civilian inhabitants killed or made destitute by Israeli carpet bombing.

Beirut, completely surrounded. is being bombarded by sea. air and land. Huge stretches of Lebanese territory have been bombed and virtually annexed, turning the whole of Lebanon into Israel's northern security belt. The involvement of Syrian. Phalangist, killing of Lebanese civilians-their superpower and other forces is bound to increase.

The United States' acquiescence in Israel's invasion is minimally offset by the special envoy Philip Habib's understated presence, which is made more surrealistic by the fact that he is a Lebanese-American. Nevertheless, the Palestinians and their numerous Lebanese allies fight

.The invasion is the collision of two different views of reality: on one hand, Israel's severe and terrifying view that its neighbours exist only to destroy Jews, and, on the other, a patchwork of ambiguous and inarticulate Arab feelings that the modern world has not fully recognised the Arab Nation.

The invasion has settled the long debate within Zionism as to the fate of the Palestinians who survived the destruction of their society in 1948. Is it still credible to speak of the moderating influence of those Jews who wanted some sort of mutual accommodation with the Palestinians?

The knesset voted 94-3 to express confidence in the Israelis-ignores the Lebanese

government-in effect in favour of the destruction of Lebanon--and Menachem Begin's remark that "it was a beautiful day for Israef" closed off the old discussions.

The logic of Israel's action now has it that at some suitably distant date, the Palestinians in the occupied territories may have autonomy without land on exclusively Israeli terms: the other, exiled Palestinians are to be exterminated. If extermination of

people and would also require an outside force with an absolute mandate. Just as it was claimed that Palestine was without people, so too it is claimed that Lebanon does not exist, despite the different peoples whose history brought and kept them there for many years. The common charge is that Arabs will not accept Israel, yet here is Israel not only violently remaking Lebanon but also

remaking the past. Moreover, the other Arab regimes are being asked to choose between the fate of Egypt and the fate of Lebanon. Marginalised and impoverished, Egypt now cuts no great swath through the Arab the "terrorists" also includes the "World, Lebanon has been incin-

For Arab governments, unpopularity and indifference at home are only exceeded by the unattractiveness of options abroad.

deaths now run into the thousands-then so much the worse for them.

Thus in Lebanon, the West Bank and Gaza, Israel has played its last card, after which talk of political settlement -- either in ebanon or on the West Bank-is only the imposition of unadomed force. Should the Palestinians not acquiesce in their own subiugation or extermination-fates they will obviously resist at all costs-the cause they represent is only temporarily buried.

That much is sure. As to how many countries need to be destroyed, how many lives lost, how many weapons acquired and used, how many more Arab territories occupied and ruled, how many more peoples dispossessed and dispersed-these are figures shrugged away as incidental, deserved retribution for Arab intransigence.

The idea that Lebanon can be reconstituted or "restored"-a word used by both Secretary of State Haig and the

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erated. For Arab governments, unpopularity and indifference at home are only exceeded by the unattractiveness of options abroad. They face increasingly abrupt change, for which the old desperate clutching at the status quo will not suffice. Still, the United States' incredible insensitivity to its Arab allies will allow the Israelis to continue on their unrestrained course, while favoured Arabs receive more American arms and idiotic panaceas like a "strategic consensus."

The scope of projected Israeli power has grown well beyond the region. In December, for instance, Defence Minister Ariel Sharon gave a speech outlining Israel's security interests not only in the Arab World but also in Zimbabwe. Pakistan, Iran, Turkey and the whole of North Africa.

Now, in Lebanon, the Israelis have tried to obliterate a disorderly Arab pattern of smallscale revolutions and petty squabbles with an apocalyptic logic of exterminism. Fortunately, neither the Palestinians nor other Arabs are likely to accept it.

CENTRAL

AMERICA

OAU to forestall Libyan threat

By Loic Even

N'DJAMENA — Fortunes have changed again in Chad's 17-year-old civil war but the state of the nation remains chaotic.

In this shattered capital, few buildings remain intact in streets that are littered with unexploded shells and bloated dead dogs.

Only the front portal of the cathedral stands, and the French-built presidential palace is in ruins, its walls smashed by roc-

Rebel leader, turned de facto head of state, Hissen Habre captured the capital last week, ousting President Goukouni Oueddei who fied to neighbouring Cameroun.

Most of the damage to N'djamena was inflicted in a year-long battle for the capital in 1979-80. The president eventually drove back the rebel forces with the aid of some 8,000 Libyan soldiers.

Now, as Mr. Habre approaches the awesome task of rebuilding the vast, impoverished nation, the possibility of further Libyan intervention hangs over Chad, Western analysts said.

"The context is one of total anarchy, with small warlords by the dozen ruling their own patch in what is one of the poorest countries of the world," an analyst said.

A spokesman for Mr. Habre said he controlled Chad from the northern border with Libya to the capital. Southern Chad remains under Colonel Abdelkader Wadai Kamougue who has controlled the area for a long time. Mr. Habre's support is from the

extreme north of Chad and from his home in the east. Both are mainly Islamic regions. The Christian and Animist tribes of the south have opposed Mr. Habre on religious and tribal grounds.

A southern trader dismissed the new leader as the political offspring of "those Muslim slave traders wbo took our sons and daughters up north generations ago." Both Mr. Habre and Col.

Kamougue have in the past ailied themselves to Libyan leader Col. Muammar Qadhafi when it suited them in the internal power struggle.

Libyan aid unlikely

Mr. Habre, however, seems unlikely to seek Libyan aid at present. He won French and the Sudan when he took on Col. Dadhafi's forces after their 1980 military intervention.

Just before the Libyans moved . into Chad, they provided both military and financial aid to Col. Kamougue, in exchange for an alliance with President Goukouni against Habre in the 1980 fight for control of N djamena, the western sources said.

"No one would put it past Kamougue, if the going gets rough with Habre, to form another alliance with the Libyans," the analysts said.

So far, Mr. Habre has been unrelenting in his denunciation of Libya. His spokesman, Mahamat Djibert, told a news conference last week that Chad was going to claim back the Libyan-occupied Aouzzou strip.

This stretch of land of some 114,000 square km bordering on Libya, is said by French sources to have rich uranium deposits. It has been occupied since 1973 by Libya which has set up a large military base there. This was used as a staging post during the 1980-1981 Libvan military intervention, military sources said.

OAU force asked to stay

As an indication of his concern over the continued Libyan threat to his country. Mr. Habre told reporters he was asking the Organisation of African Unity (OAU) to keep its 3,500-strong peace keeping force in Chad "for the time being

The force, made up of troops from Nigeria, Senegal, and Zaire, was sent to Chad when the Libyans withdrew under Western and African pressure in November last year. The Africans' role was apparently to stand as a buffer between troops loyal to President Goukouni's provisional government, and Mr. Habre's guerrillas.

The analysts said the failure of the ousted president to negotiate with the guerrillas while he had the time led to last week's defear, and to an earlier call by the OAU's current chairman. President Daniel arap Moi of Kenya, for the force to withdraw from Chad by the end of this month.

Informed sources here said the continued Libyan threat was leading Western countries, including France and the United States, to call on the OAU, and the peacekeeping force, to reconsider their position in the light of the power

Both the U.S. and France have contributed \$12 billion towards the force's cost. The sources said they may be prepared to contribute more through a United Nations fund recently created to keep the force in Chad.

Adding to the political tension is uncertainty over the ousted president's plans. Informed sources said he would fly to Algeria with his entourage. apparently with the intention of continuing his fight from abroad.

Meanwhile, with food and fuel scarce and shops closed and looted, the new administration faces the task of achieving some kind of normality for Ch million people.

Asked to spell out the nation's financial state, the Habre spokesman said: "There are no public finances," adding that each warlord was collecting his own taxes and levies for his own purse. France, the former colonial:

power, has said it will continue to give aid (estimated at \$3 million a month) to pay 40,000 civil servants, many of whom say they have been unpaid for months. International aid sources said

Chad would receive some \$80 million to keep it going during the 1982 fiscal year.

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Jordan Archaeological Museum: Has an excellent collection of the antiquities of Jordan, Jabel Al Qu'a (Citadel Hill). Opening hours: 9.00 a.m. - 5.00 p.m. (Fridays and official holidays 10.00 a.m. 4.00 p.m.). Closed Tuesdays. Jordan National Gallery: Contains a col-

lection of paintings, ceramics, and sculpture by contemporary lalamic artists from most of the Muslim coun-riested a collection of paintings by 19th Century orientalist artists. Muniacah, Jabal Luweibdeh. Opening hours: 10.00 a.m. - 1.30 p.m. and 3.30 p.m. -6.00 p.m. Closed Tuesdays. Tel. 30128. Military Massens: Collection of military memorabilia dating from the Arab Revok of 1916. Sports Ciry, Amman. Opening bours 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Closed Saturdays, Tel. 64240.

Popular Life of Jordan Museum: 100 to 150 year old items such as costumes, weapons, musical instruments, etc. Opening hours: 9.00 a.m. - 5.00 p.m. Closed Tuesdays. Tel. 37169.

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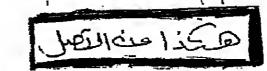
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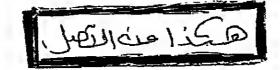
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By Guy Arnold

ENANA - A bare stretch of vannah 240 kilometres south of bartoum bas been transformed at of recognition over the past six ears into a bustling community of me 100,000 souls.

When work started on the enana sugar project in 1976, the te-lying in the fertile area beteen the White and Blue iles--was uncultivated and used aly by nomads.

Today 84,000 feddans have en brought under cultivation by complex network of canals and ower stations which raise the aters of the White Nile by 40 tetres to irrigate an area of 335 quare kilometres.

At the centre of it all, the ictory-one of the largest sugar ills and refineries in the orld--has the capacity to refine 30,000 tonnes during the ctober to May season.

Critics of Kenana have pointed) its vast capital costs-now in xcess of \$1.08 billion--which ave far outstripped original estinates. These costs should, howver, be seen in perspective.

First, the continuing world recession, inflation and the spiralling costs of fuel have made estimates for most projects all over the world look foolish after three or four years--and Kenana has been no exception.

Secondly, the cost of Kenana should be measured against the end result: Will the sugar and its value to Sudan justify the invest-

In April 1982 (at the end of the itself. 1981-82 season) the factory was processing 13,000 tonnes of sugar cane a day and the total 1981-82 crop is expected to be more than 165,000 tonnes.

Effectively this is the end of the second operational year. If pre-sent plans work out, 2.5 million tonnes of cane will be harvested in 1982-83 yielding 230,000 tonnes of sugar; in 1983-84 the yield is expected to be 330,000 tonnes. This is the measure of the present Kenana achievement.

But Kenana is not supply sugar: a whole new way of life has already developed round the estate and in the long run the by-products of the sugar business could be as important as the sugar

Kenana brings life to the savannah

HOTELS

In an area which a few years ago had only a nomadic population. the estate now employs per-manently some 12.700 people. These include 8000 working on the agricultural side-planting, harvesting, maintaining the vast estate--1500 in the sugar mill and refinery and some 3000 support staff. In addition contractors-for road building or further canal work for example--bring the number of employees at any one time to about 15,000.

If dependents are added to this number, then a community of about 75,000 has now grown up as part of the estate. In addition a possible 30,000 to 50,000 other people have moved into the area lages, to supply food or other goods and to provide casual labour. Thus Kenana has created major settlement in the area as well as creating jobs and wealth.

In logistical terms something of the size of the operation-as well as the problems of running it-may be gauged by looking at the number of vehicles needed on the estate. There are 1,100 vehicles including 60 giant cane harvesters, 100 trueks and trailers for cane transportation, 350 wheel tractors, some 40 heavy machine vehicles such as caterpillars, 100 trucks and 450 light vehicles.

Kenana produces its own power: there is a thermal unit run on burning bagasse-the waste

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Next year (1982-83), Kenana output could cover half the coun-

try's needs, and thereafter two thirds. But the estate must obtain foreign exchange to pay for its input needs and so the more it produces the higher the proportion it will have to export to earn hard eurrency. Other problems are formidable.

The logistics of transport in Sudan are daunting. Kenana is 1000 kilometres from Port Sudan where its equipment and other supplies are landed, while road and rail transport are generally slow and handicapped by lack of fuel, although the new highway from Part Sudan to Khartoum is a major improvement.

At present, seventy per cent Kenana's sugar is shipped out by road and 30 per cent by rail. The country suffers from crippling fuel shortages, although Kenana has -priority. During harvesting the estate consumes 10,000 gallons of diesel fuel a day.

The Kenana Sugar Company is private. Its major shareholders are the Sudan government (31.74 per cent), the Kuwan government (30.83 per cent), the Saudi Arabian government (11.04 per cent) and the Arab Investment Com-

pany (11.01 per cent) but there are others.

The Gulf connexion is vital both for investment capital resources and more generally for the Arab support and involvement it entails: pressures from the major non-Sudanese shareholders, for example, may ensure that the company does not suffer from some of the neglect--or simple lack of essential supplies--that have reduced the other sugar producing operations in the country to such low current levels of output. While they have the theoretical capacity in produce 370,000 tonnes, this year they only managed to produce 94,000 tonnes.

The problems are there, but so

also is the potential. The people responsible for Kenana are enthusiasts and believe in what they are doing and what they may achieve. Kenana could become the catalyst and the nucleus of a great agribusiness area and make the concept of the Sudan as the breadbasket of the Middle East come eloser. But it has a long way

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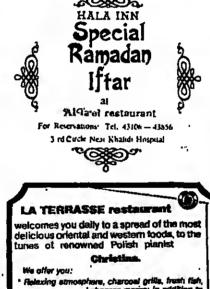
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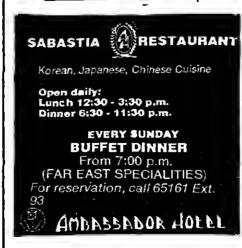
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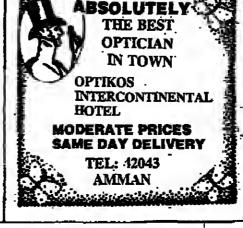




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Assert, trained by David O'Brien, had earlier won the French Derby, and O'Brien's father Vincent landed the Epsom Derby with Sangster's Golden Fleece.

Hot favourite at 4 to 7, Assert took up the running from pacemaker Raconteur, also carrying the Sangster colours, fully three furlongs out in the mile and a half race.

A furlong and a half from the finish English challenger Silver Hawk pulled clear of the pursuing pack, but he could not make the slightest impression on Assert. He finished a distant second, eight lengths adrift, as Christy Roche coasted home on Assert for a purse of £127,000 (\$228,600).

Silver Hawk, second favourite at 3 to 1, was followed home in third place by Patcher (28 to 1), who was 2-1/2 lengths hehind the

Assert is by the U.S. stallion Be My Guest out of Irish Bird by Sea

E.German women clock best relay time

COTTBUS, East Germany (R) -The East German women's 4x400 metres relay team clocked a world's best time this year of three minutes 23.97 seconds on the second day of the two-day athletics meeting with the Soviet Union here Saturday.

The East Germans won the women's match by 91 points to 65, but the Soviet Union took the men's by 113 points to 99.

World Cup has been rich in memorable quotes to date

no-one has actually yet said: "I'm as sick as a parrot", "the game is long, the ball is round" or the classic "it's only 11 men against II" the World Cup has been rich in memorable quotes to date.

The following are the pick of the "If we don't beat Algeria I'll

take the next train home"... West German manager Jupp Derwall before his side lost 2-1 in one of the greatest upsets in World Cup history. "I still can't really believe we

lost".... Derwail after the game. "For us, playing Brazil was like playing in the 21st century"... New Zealand manager John Adshead.

"The referee was shameless hut I'd better keep quiet, my country hasn'i any money and can't pay fines"... Daniel Matamoros, head of the Honduran World Cup delegation, after his team lost 1-0

MADRID (R) — Although to Yugoslavia thanks to a late penalty.

"The World Cup is only a matter of money. The match was a scandalous and immoral act"... Alemi Sekkal, Algerian Football Federation President, after his side was were knocked out following West Germany's soporific 1-0 win over Austria.

"I won't even mention the line-up. None of the 22 deserve having their name mentioned in a decent newspaper"... Spanish football journalist after the same

"It's all clean dancing, we just wiggle and things' to pless disco dancer who was introduced to the England team as a member of a ballet troupe. "Don't worry lads, Ally Mac-

leod's in Blackpool"... Scottish banner referring to the shambolic 1978 campaign in Argentina.

"West Germany are a combination of Karl-Heinz Rummenigge and 10 robots"... Pele. "The Mafia is little compared to FIFA"... Sheikh Fahd Al Ahmad Al Sahah, Kuwait

"Platini is Platini, Maradona is Maradona, Belloumi is Belloumi"... Algerian Lakhdar Belloumi.

"I was baffled, disappointed and amazed".... New Zealand goalkeeper Richard Wilson, who played in all 15 qualifying ties, after being dropped on the eve of the finals. "It's a great success. I have

nothing but praise for the way things are running" FIFA President Joao Havenlange dismissing a suggestion that some arrangements had been bungled.

"There may not be a match tomorrow. We don't have any lights and we don't have water". Rogelio Chantada, member of the Vigo organising committee, the day before the clash between Italy and Poland.

Menotti regrets pairing of Argentina, Brazil

VILLAJOYOSA, Spain (R) — Argentine manager Cesar Luis Menotti Saturday night regretted the pairing of Argentina and favourites Brazil in the second round of the World Cup but said he hoped the title-holders would reach the semifinals.

"It is a shame that two teams most representative of a style of football should have to meet each other," he said. "The same is true of West Germany and England in another group."

Argentina, Brazil and Italy meet next week in

Group 'C' of the second phase, at which stage the battle would begin in earnest, Menotti said. "The hardest is yet to come," he told reporters, adding: "It is a difficult round but we are optimistic"

Playing down the eagerly-awaited clash with Brazil, Menotti said it would be "another difficult

about getting through."

match but not necessarily more difficult than the first game (against Italy on Tuesday)." But Menotti's midfield general Osvaldo Ardiles described the encounter with Brazil as "a real final

in the second round."

"The teams which worry me are those that play most football. Italy play defensively but Brazil

could be very dangerous," he said. Diego Maradona, the centre of attention

whenever be takes the field, told reporters he did not relish facing the Italian defence. "It will be a very difficult match and we'll all have to be fully rested and recovered physically," he

But he said Argentina had the ability to retain the

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'Qualified with 1-0, but shame on you'

German commentators unanimous in condemning national soccer team

commentators were almost court. unanimous Saturday in condemning West Germany's 1-0 vic-

tory over Austria in Gijon. The words 'Scandal' and 'Shame' appeared in many newspaper headlines, with writers agreeing that not even a place for Germany in the second round of the World Cup finals could justify the means used to take it there.

The mass-circulation Bild covered one third of its front page with the huge banner headline: "Qualified with 1-0, hut shame on

Under the inside heading "Germany is horrified," Bild published the opinion of readers who rang in shocked at the unsporting play of their countrymen.

One said he had formed a soc-

iety to take the national team to

"That was a bigger scandal than defeat by Algeria," said another. Axel Duennwald-Metizer, President of the Stuttgart Kickers, described Friday's match as "the most shameless thing I have ever seen in football."

The influential conservative Frankfurter Allgemeine, under a commentary headed "poor Algeria," said Friday's match united Austria and West Germany in an act of "bottomless unfair-

"People were wrong who thought the 2-1 defeat of Germany by Algeria was bad," the newspapersaid. "The 1-0 'victory' against Austria was much worse, for sport's integrity was trampled underfoot."

Television commentator Peter Gatter said "we must all feel bet-

rayed by what we saw.' The television channels might just as well broadcast two hours of talks between Bonn's shaky coalition partners, he said. "Both are examples of people concerned only with survival."

Another commentator suggested that everyone involved in the match should be sent home. Yet another said they should be airrested.

Typical of much reaction was a sports editorial headed "oh, how clever' in Bonn's General-

"Whether or not the result was rigged, Friday's meeting of Germany and Austria not only cheated the high-spending fans yet again, it was above all a slap in the

face for those teams, from the professional Scots to those from Algeria to Honduras patronisingly referred to as 'exotics', who have fought with heart and soul for sporting success at this World

Cup," the newspaper said. Opinion was not quite unanimous, however. After an initial wave of hostility, some viewers rang in to the World Cup television studio in Frankfurt in support of the team's strategy.

"Tactical play was necessary," one viewer was quoted as saying. But Bild summed up the majority view when it said Germany must make amends for its actions.

Tuesday," Bild said. West Germany meet England on Tuesday in the second phase of , the competition.

"Atonement must begin on

FIFA admits fans were defrauded at West Germany-Austria match

MADRID (R) - The International Footbali Federation (FI-FA) admitted Saturday that fans were defrauded at the World Cup match between West Germany

and Austria. A 40,000 capacity crowd at Gijon's El Molinon stadium Friday were incensed at the cynical manner in which West Germany and Austria abandoned any attempt at entertainment.

To a mounting chorus of whisties and catcalls the teams merely went through the motions after West German centre-forward Horst Hrubesch struck the only goal in the 11th minute.

West Germany's 1-0 win assured both teams a place in the second round, squeezing out Ground Two rivals Algeria, FIFA were considering Saturday a complaint from the furious Algerians that the two sides had arranged the result.

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The result ended Algeria's hopes of becoming the first African team to reach the second round of the finals and brought an . angry accusation from Algerian Fonthall Federation President Alemi Sekkal that West Germany and Austria had played to an

Sekkal described the match as 'a scandalous and immoral act." He said he had lodged an official complaint with FIFA and demanded the expulsion of West Germany and Austria from the competition.

Although FIFA were looking into the Algerian complaint, it seemed unlikely that they would take any action. HIFA Vice-President Hermann Neuberger of West Germany said Friday night that however the game had been played, no rules had been broken. Commenting on Algeria's charge that West Germany and ping water-fuled plastic bags Austria had arranged the result, from an eighth-floor window on to the disciplinary committee source the crowd below. The crowd said: "It is one of those cases in retaliated by hurling bak which you suspect something is

thing."
West German manager Jupp Derwall dismissed Algeria's

accusation as an insult. West German goalkeeper Toni Schumacher explained his team's attitude to the game by saying Saturday: "It was just a question

land. France.

of getting through. Nothing else counted.

Midfielder Felix Magath added: When Algeria beat us 2-1 in our first match it was a disaster and we were laughed at. We wanted to avoid that against Austria and now we're being rubbished for it."

Round 2 schedule announced

MADRID (R) - Programme for the second round of the World Cup

finals starting on Monday: Group 'A' (Non Camp stadium, Barcelona)-Poland, Belgium,

Soviet Union. Matches—June 28, Poland v Belgium: July 1, Soviet Union v loser of Poland v Belgium: July 4, Soviet Union v winner of Poland v Belgium.
Group 'B' (Bernaben stadium, Madrid)—England, West Germany,

Matches-June 29, West Germany v England: July 2, Spain v loser of West Germany v England: July 5, Spain v winner of West Germany

v England. Group 'C' (in Sarria stadium, Barcelona)-Brazil, Argentina, Italy. Matches-June 29, Argentina v Italy: July 2, Brazil v loser of Argentina v Italy: July 5, Brazil v winner of Argentina v Italy. Group 'D' (Calderon stadium, Madrid)-Austria, Northern Ire-

Matches-June 28, Austria v France: July 1, Northern Ireland v loser of Austria v France: July 4, Northern Ireland v winner of Austria Semi-finals July 8: Winners Group 'A' v winners Group 'C' (Nou

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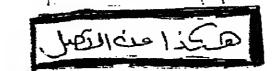
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nimo EC jobless rate expected to rise further

SELS (R) — Despite particularly in the midst of recession. mic Community (EEC) ments to coordinate e ase to record unement, more than 10 million in the EEC eppear to have

euse for optimism. EC commission report to a t meeting of Community : next week says the unement rate, currently running per cent of the workforce, e to 9.4 per cent next year e significant ecocomic

is quite likely that we will 4 to 15 million unemployed mid-80s unless something tic is done," Social Affairs rissioner Ivor Richard said interview.

tight monetarist policies ed by many EEC gov-. nts, high interest rates slowvestment, world recession. ecline of traditional indusmd a massive influx of new ækers has led to an unement crisis.

t t year, unemployment shot two million, and angry rioted in Britain, where three million people are s. Some 40 per cent of those work in the EEC are under

> Richard has been a pert edvocate of job-creating ment, pointing to the danf protectionism arising from or jobs to be saved and the tially explosive social effects : problem.

> t faced by large budget ts and mounting inflation, ber states have been reluc--o abandon austerity policies,

The last EEC summit in March noted that "the level of unemployment, more particularly among young people, has created an intolerable situation."

Action needed

The 10 EEC leaders said theywould seek to ensure that all young people entering the lebour market over the next five years would receive vocational training or some job experience.

But their expressions of concern and gestures to newcomers to the joh market have so far found no practical application.

"There have been many expressions of noble intentions. Now I am waiting to see some action. Mr. Richard said. He stressed that the EEC labour force is expected to increase by some five million people before 1985, many of whom could be destined to swell the dole queues unless new jobs can be created.

The commission is now pressing gently for a switch from tight monetarist policies, espoused especially by Britain and West Germany, to e greater stress on tackling unemployment.

But a decision this month by the French socialist government to impose austerity measures in e hid to bring inflation under control dealt a blow to these efforts, EEC officials said.

President Mitterrand had been the strongest edvocate of some reflationary effort by the EEC to deal with unemployment and develop new and competitive

At the meeting fares were set to rise by an average seven per cent this year and airlines were given bands within which they could

'Next winter's fares will be higher than last winter's, but thet was already decided in February," the spokesman said. "There was no general desire to pley around

THE BETTER HALF.

Finance Minister Jacques Delors said this month France had banked on a world economic upturn this year to buoy this drive. He mede clear that continuing recession and two devaluations of the franc in nine months had forced the government to think

The Danish government, which takes over the presidency of the EEC Council of Ministers next month, was now expected to lead EEC efforts to cut the dole

again and stress the fight on infla-

queues, Mr. Richard said. The Danes have pledged to make fighting unemployment the priority of their presidency.

"If we left Japan and the United Stetes get ahead on competitive investment, we will be the loser," Foreign Minister Kjeld Olesen told journalists at e recent brief-

ing.

He said the government had set up a special committee of officials from labour and economy ministries throughout the EEC to prepare for a special meeting of lebour, economic and finance ministers in November or December.

"What we have in mind is education and vocational training for young people and new technologies," he said.

Mr. Olesen suggested thet if all 10 member stetes were prepared to act together, public sector deficits could be raised slightly without danger in order to pronote investment. The commission has submitted

a special paper on investment for the two-day summit beginning on Monday, urging investment in new technologies and small and medium-sized companies. The council must affirm

to get improved growth and employment," it said. It lays particular stress on the need to bring down high interest rates, which put a break on investment, wherever possible

Other areas proposed by the commission as suitable for a programme of public investment are new energy sources, energy saving, housing, expansion of tele-

an EEC-wide market.

communications systems, and the development of new technology in the information field.

The commission is also considering proposals for shortening the working week and has called for a 45 per cent increase next year in the \$1.2 billion social fund in the EEC budget, used mainly for job-creetion schemes.

These proposals have all been backed by EEC trade unions.

But Mr. Richard said he did not expected anything next week beyond a new pledge from EEC leaders to do all they could to fight unemployment, falling short of any specific commitments.

"I am afraid any real progress clearly the need to invest in order will have to wait until the jumbo council," he said.

High U.S. interest rates, continued budget deficits and inflation all remain prority concerns of EEC governments.

The Community also faces the and exploit fully the potential of need to slash jobs in loss-making industries like steel, petrochemicals, oil refineries and shipbuilding in order to restore viability. This will only make things worse for the jobless 10 mil-

W. German government to discuss rescue plans for AEG-Telefunken

FRANKFURT (R) - AEG- tested against the plan, sales of Telefunken, the major West AEG products had tumbled as German electrical goods manufacturer, needs immediate approval of one billion marks (\$400 million) in federal govemment credit guarantees to ward off an imminent cash crisis, its manegement board chairman said

Company officials are meeting senior government ministers on Monday to discuss survival plans for AEG, and Mr. Heinz Duerr, chairman of the management board, told Reuters in an interview that decisions were needed immediately.

The company, which has made operating losses of more than two hillion marks (\$800 million) in the last four years, could run out of cash next month without the aid. Federal government guarantees would also banks to begin to extend the 1.75 billion marks (\$700 million) in new credits envisaged under the company rescue plan, called "concept AEG

Mr. Duerr said Monday's meeting would also review e works council request that the federal government take a shareholding in AEG, in contrast to management's plan to sell e stake in its capital goods business to Britain's General Electric Company.

The West German cabinet ruled out a direct shareholding in AEG at its meeting on Wednesday, but that decision will also be reviewed on Monday.

Mr. Duerr said the management was sticking to its original recommendations, which involve dividing AEG into its two principal components, AEG-Technik for capital goods and AEG-Konsum for home appliances.

A mejority stake in its third major line of business, television and bi-fi's, would be sold to an outside partner. The plan was originally

described by senior government officials as less than complete two weeks ago when the workforce voiced its objections. But Mr. Duerr said the plan was

now well developed and needed approval on all sides. He said that since the works' council had procustomers grew worried about the company's survival.

What the company needed was a quick decision that would show it could bring its new concept into reality, he added.

Brisk export trade boosts sluggish domestic demand



WEST BERLIN (DaD) - Mechanical engineering is an exportorientated industry in the Federal Republic of Germany, and powhere more so than in West Berlin, which is still, as governing Mayor Richard von Weizsacker says, Germany's foremost industrial city. This king-sized diesel generator was built by AEG-Telefunken in Berlin. It is 10m tall and weighs over 400 tonnes. The brisk export trade, with real growth rates of 20 per cent, is boosting sluggish domestic demand, up five per cent, says the Federal Statistics Office, Wiesbaden.

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IATA to abide by fare guidelines

GENEVA (R) — Air fares on the crowded North Atlantic route will not rise more than alreedy planned next winter, airlines from

21 countries decided here Friday. The airlines, at a meeting organised by the International Air Transport Association (IATA), agreed that price guidelines set in February should continue, an

LATA spokesman said.

freely set their four main fares.

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major changes in their costs for the North Atlantic route so far to justify bigher fares.

increased the estimeted amount are affecting them.

this year to \$1.6 billion from earlier projections of \$1.3 to \$1.4 billion. The airlines will hold a special

conference here in late July to But high interest rates have -consider how these interest rates

California to fight fruit fly

SACRAMENTO, California (R) - California Friday ordered crop spraying over parts of its richest agricultural area after discovery there of a Mediterranean fruit fly.

The order came just as the state was hoping to announce eradication of the pest which was discovered in California two years

By Vinson

Since then California has sprayed thousands of acres (hectares) with insecticide and set up 100,000 traps for the fly which attacks and ruins soft fruit.

Friday's reported discovery of the fly, the first since last November, was in the fertile San Joaquin valley.

Officials had boped to end all spraying, at present confined to a 36 square kilometre area, oext week and to formally declare the state clear of the fly in September.

FORECAST FOR SUNDAY, JUNE 27, 1982

YOUR DAILY from the Carroll Righter Institute

GENERAL TENDENCIES: A time when you heve conflicting views with others. So be sure to accept differences in a philosophical manner. Don't force any issues with family members at this time.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Make certain you handle responsibilities you have in a most precise manner. Engege in favorite hobby with congeniale. TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20] Use diplomacy instead of

forcefulnese with loved one at this time. Make long-range plans to have more abundance. GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) Try to please family members and come to e better understanding with them.

Take no riske where your reputation is concerned.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21] Plan how to heve greater income in the days ahead. Analyze your aims end gain the support you need from others. LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Concentrate on how you can

be more productive in the future. An intuitive prompting could be erroneoue now so don't follow it. VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Try to enlist the help of

practical plans for the days ahead. LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Make some needed changes at home so that you have more comfort there. Allow time for recreational activities you anjoy.

loyel friends for e new project you have in mind. Make

SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Good day to engage in activities that most appeal to you. Adopt a philosophy that can be good for you in the future.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Try to have more hermonioue relatione with femily members. Make plane thet can bring advancement in your career. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20] Outline projects you

went to put in operation in the future. A good time to visit good friends and relatives. AQUARIUS (Jen. 21 to Feb. 191 Use good sense in

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 201 Enjoy small pleasures you like in the company of congenials. Show more devotion to

loved one and express happiness together. IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY ... he or she will be very embitious so give the beat education possible in preparation for a most successful life. Spiritual training ia important here and so are sports that teach fair play. A good family life in this chert.

"The Stars impel, they do not compel." What you make of your life is largely up to you!

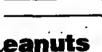
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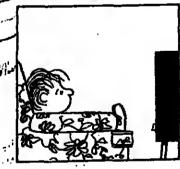
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THAT SCRAMBLED WORD GAME by Henri Arnold and Bob Lee ie letter to each square, to form RYPEK **SINBO** LOOKS AT THEM COMING AND GOING -IN BOTH DIRECTIONS. KALTEC Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as sug-gested by the above cartoon. APARTHE Print answer here:

Jumbles: SIEGE VIRUS TIPTOE DEBTOR Answer: What some women claim to be-"DRESSTITUTE



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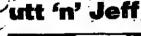






'This set is cable ready . . . it comes with a cooling

system for those spicy subscription movies."













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WORLD

Belgrade opens 1st post-Tito party congress

BELGRADE (R) — The 12th congress of the ruling Yugoslav Communist Party, the first in the more than 40 years without the authoritative figure of Marshal Tito, opened Saturday with a call for solutions to serious economic problems.

A keynote opening address by Party President Dusan Dragosavac reassetted Yugoslavia's resolve to maintain its own independent brand of Communism, its non-aligned foreign policy and to continue strengthening the unity of the multi-

national federation. These were the main issues in the political legacy of the late President Tito who led the party and the state with undisputed authority since World Wsr 11.

Mr. Dragosavac said Yugoslavia would push ahead in developing its unotthodox Communist system of workers selfmanagement and its own brand of Communism independent of Moscow.

Among some 130 foreign delegations was Vasily Kuznetsov. a Soviet party politburo candidate member and first vice-president of the presidium of the supreme Soviet (parliament).

Nearby sat representatives of "Eurocommunist" parties which have recently come under heavy attack from Moscow, including Italian Communist leader Enrico

Mr. Dragosavac called on the party leadership.

more than 2.000 delegates to analyse critically political and economic failures and mistakes over the past four years and draw up guidelines for the future.

By implication Mr. Dragosavac referred to the dispute between the Italian and Soviet parties, sparked off hy Mr. Berlinguer's criticism of Moscow's attitude over the erisis io Poland and the introduction of martial law there

last December. The situation in Poland had opened up many basic questions and dilemmas in the Communist government and had sharpened differences between some national parties, he said.

Yugoslav leaders have criticised the imposition of martial law io Poland and have condemned the local party's "bureaucratic and dogmatic" attitude. They say this resulted in blocking the Democratic process and led to a clash with the working class.

Mr. Dragosavac said the party would oppose regionalist tendencies and those who advocated Soviet-type central state control He warned against nationalism as one of the greatest potential dan-

gers to the Yugoslav federation. After the speech, which was dis-tributed to delegates and guests and of which Mr. Dragosavac read only some parts, the congress split up to debate foreign and internal policy issues. On Tuesday, it will adopt resolutions and elect a new

Peking frees remaining Kuomintang prisoners

GOREN BRIDGE

PEKING (R) - All remaining military officials. Kuominiang (Nationalist Party) prisoners have now been released some 30 years after the end of the civil war which brought the Communists to power, the New China News Agency said Saturday.

The prisoners had been released in batches following the announcement in March of an amnesty for the remaining 4,237 Nationalists being held, mainly junior party, government and

BY CHARLES H. GOREN

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Q.1-As South, vulnerable

+KJ873 ♦K6 +AQ7543

Pass 1 7 Pass

Pass 2 NT Pass

Pass 4 + Pass

The bidding has proceeded:

South West North East

What action do you take?

A. - Ynu have already told

partner that you have 10 or

Il cards in the black suits.

Fur all your distributional

values, you have a minimum

opening hid in terms of high

eards, and your void in part-

ner's suit represents a possi-

hle duplication of values.

Pass-making a slam try

would risk getting over-

Q.2 - Both vulnerable, as

South with 60 on score you

↑763 75 ⊕Q10854 **↑J**932

Partner opens the bidding

with one heart. What action

A = No one is more anxious

than we to score up a rubber.

and in this situation we

would strain to keep the bid-

ding opeo. But there is a limit

to the lengths we will go, and

we have reached it here. If

you respond one no trump

and the opponents compete,

partner might think that you

have something and either

bid too high or double them

Q.3 - Neither vulnerable, as

◆83 ₹KJ9863 ○K7 ♣J62

Partner opens the bidding

with two no trump. What do

A. - When you have a

reasonable six-card suit and

some outside values opposite

a two no trump opening bid.

you are in slam territory.

However, you must not pro-

ceed with undue haste. We

suggest an initial response of

three hearts and, should

partner raise to game, rebid-

ding five hearts. If opener

into game. Pass.

South you hold:

you bid oow?

you hold:

3 ♠

board.

hold:

do you take?

The latest amnesty followed the release of several hundred more senior Nationalist officials in

The freeing of the prisoners is the latest of many olive branches Peking has extended recently to the Nationalist government on

Taiwan. Taiwan has rejected all these gestures as Communist propaganda.

does not raise hearts, give up

on slam. There is too much

chance that you have a trump

loser as well as an outside

Q.4-As South, vulnerable,

+A1073 ♥83 OKQ92 +854

Partner opens the bidding

with one spade. What do you

A. - Your hand is worth 10

points in spades, which is the

maximum for a raise to two

spades. Why not make that

bid. Unless partner can

move over two spades, in

which case you would be hap-

py to go on to game, it is

doubtful that you will miss

Q.5-Neither vuinerable, as

+KQ763 ◇AQJ854 +Q7

Pass 3 0 Pass

The bidding has proceeded:

South West North East

1 Pass 2 4 Pass

What action do you take?

A. - Your hand has improved

considerably, but there is no

need for precipitate action.

Just continue to complete

the description of your hand.

A bid of three spades tells

partner that you have six

diamonds and five spades,

and lesves you all the room

you need for further explora-

Q.6-As South, vulnerable.

◆74 ♥82 ♦AK976 ◆A854

The bidding has proceeded:

North East South West

1 ♥ Pass 2 ♦ Pass

What action do you take?

A. - Partner's spade holding

is the key to this hand. Since

you bave control of the minor

suits and two hearts, there

could be a slam if your side

doesn't have two quick losers

in spades. A bid of five hearts

informs partner that you are

interested in slam but that

you bave no control in the un-

bid suit, so it is up to him to

continue with a stopper in

Pass ?

Pass 4 Pass

you hold:

3 ♡

4 🕾

you hold:

respond?

anything.

South you hold:

Strike causes chaos at Athens airport

ATHENS (R) - A 48-hour strike by stewards and air hostesses starting Saturday forced the cancellation of all flights by Greece's state-owned Olympic Airways and caused chaos at Athens airport for the second weekend run-

Airport sources said hundreds of tourists had tried uosuccessfully to book with other airlines and described as hellish the situation at Athens airport, where a heatwave has sent temperatures into the 40s Centigrade (100s Fahrenheit).

The airline has said that to accept the crews' demand for boouses of 42 per ceot of their salaries plus a basic 27 per cent pay rise would give them an unfair advantage over other Olympic employees.

Work begins on board Salyut-7

MOSCOW (R) - A Soviet-French space crew began an ambitinus scientific programme of work in an orbiting Salyut laboratory which it boarded Friday night.

Col. Jean-Loup Chretien and wo Soviet cosmonauts, Col. Vladimir Dzhanibekov and Alexander Invanchenkov, squeezed aboard the Salyut-7 station Friday night after a 25-hour flight from earth. They were greeted by two Soviet cosmonauts who have manned the Salyut-7 since May

The scientific programme in the oine-day joint mission includes medical, biological and astronomy experiments many of them being carried out with halfa-tonne of French equipment.

The joint flight, agreed on in 1979, has been regarded with some suspicioo by the French govemment of François Mitterrand, which has insisted that the project is purely scientific with no political mportance.

The three-man joint crew that boarded the Salyut Friday night will return to earth on July 2.

By Walter Bagley

KENNEDY SPACE CENTRE.

Florida (R) — The U.S. space

shuttle Columbia starts off on its

fourth and final test flight Sunday,

carrying the first of many secret

military payloads it will be hand-

The weather at the seaside

space centre on Cape Canaveral

was rainy during most of the past

week and forecasters were not

optimistic about the chances for

But some said the weather

should at least be acceptable for

the 11 a.m. (1500 GMT) start to

Astronauts Thomas (Ken) Mat-

tingly and Henry Hartsfield

experienced the fickleness of the

florida weather Friday when they

flew to Kennedy from their home

The shuttle crewmen, flying

military training jets, were

diverted by thunderstorms from

landing as arranged at nearby Pat-

They landed instead on the

space centre's own runway, where

shuttle orbiters will return to earth

Mattingly and Hartsfield were

spending today in final briefings

and flying a specially modified air-

craft which simulates the flight

ideal launching conditions.

the weeklong mission.

base in Houston, Texas.

rick Air Force Base.

after future flights.

ling from now on.

Mauritius lays sights on strategic archipelago

announced it intends to mount a B-52 bombers. diplomatic offensive for the return

of the legislative assembly since prime minister for 14 years.

assembly by Governor-General The programme said an Diego Garcia atoll.

archipelago before Mauritius the bigger sugar estsies. became iodepeodent in 1968 and

PORT LOUIS (R) - The Runways on the stoll, 1,800 newly-elected left-wing gov- kilometres from Mauritius, have ernment of Mauritius has been rebuilt to accommodate big

The Mauritian Militant Moveof the Chagos Archipelago, which ment and Mauritian Socialist includes the key U.S. military base Party won all but two of the 62 nstional assembly seats in the poll, Presenting a 12-month prog- trouncing the coalition led by Sir ramme Friday at the first session Seewoosagur Ramgoolam. its

elections earlier this month, the The remaining two sests were coalition government expressed won by an ally, the Rodrigues concern at what it called increased People's Organisation on the dismilitary activity io the Indian tant island of Rodrigues. The government programme also pledged The programme, read to the to turn the island into s republic.

Sir Dayeodranath Burreochohay unspecified number of johs would said the government would "press be created and a commission of for the retrocession of the Chagos eoquiry formed to study the sugar Archipelago," which includes the industry, the main source of foreign exchange. The government Britaio detached the has pledged to nationalise two of

lis non-aligned foreign policy has leased Diego Garcia to the also promised a gradual looseoing United States for 50 years as s of links with South Africa, a major tradiog partner.

Salvadorean army admits rebels hold Col. Castillo

SAN SALVADOR (R) - El Sal- down last Thursday in the rugged vador's army has acknowledged that left-wing guerrillas had captured Deputy Defence Minister Francisco Adolfo Castillo, the highest-ranking officer to fall into rebel hands since civil war erupted here here in 1979.

In a communique published Friday, the armed forces press committee said the army assumed that Col. Castillo had been captured after a voice analysis of an interview broadcast last Tuesday by the guerrilla Radio Venceremos.

In the interview, Col. Castillo said he was being treated well by his captors.

With reference to the case of the deputy minister of defence and

Final shuttle test flight scheduled today

features of the delta-winged Col-

In addition to its military load.

Columbia will carry a variety of

purely scientific experiments!

equipment, including the first

instruments sent by a commercial

focus of most attention is "Dod

82-1" -- the payload provided by

Secret cargo

Setting a precedent they prom-

ise to maintain, space agency and

Pentagon officials refused to

release any information about the

The shuttle was developed at a

cost of \$ 10 billion and has suf-

ficient room to carry passengers as

include a cannister containing

nine separate experiments devised

by students at Utah State Uni-

A number of other instruments

will continue the task of measur-

ing the impact of the orbiting craft

on the space environment

lifted out of the Columbia's cargo

bay and moved around by the

One of the instruments will be

immediately surrounding it.

ship's mechanical arm.

This time Columbia's cargo will

well as crew in future.

military cargo.

versity.

the Defence Department.

But the cargo that has been the

northeastern province of Morazan, at the time scene of fierce fighting between and estimated 3,000 government troops backed by ground attack aircraft, and some 1,000 guerrillas.

The fighting, described as the heaviest in the war to date, centred on the towns of Perquin and nearby San Fernando which were taken over by the guerrillas on June 5.

The guerrillas said on Wednesday they had pulled out their forces io line with strategic military plans. But they vowed to cripple traffic in El Salvador by attackng all vehicles moving on the highways.

Friday the guerrillas set fire to public security, the armed forces at least 21 buses and trucks on press committee informs... that several major routes and in the the tape-recording of a clan- capital itself several vehicles were destine broadcast coincides with blown up. The army responded the voice of the deputy defence by strengthening patrols on main minister," the communique said. roads and posting troops to impor-Col. Castillo's helicopter went tant intersections in the capital.

This experiment, involving

equipment weighing 365 kilog-

cargo-moving arm. which was

Other instruments will take

resdings inside Columbia's 60-

foot-long (18-metre) cargo bay to

judge the nature and severity of

solar radiation in the earth's

Mattingly, 46, a navy captain,

was the command module pilot of

the Apollo 16 moon mission 10

years ago. Hartsfield, 48, a retired

air force pilot, is making his first

The 112-orbit flight is

scheduled to end with Columbia's

third landing at Edwards Air

Force Base in the Mojave desert

landed at White Sands. New Mex-

ico, because of unsuitable con-

President Reagan, who has

praised the Shuttle programme

without making a firm com-

mitment to it, was expected to

greet the astronauts when they

return on July 4, U.S. inde-

Mr. Reagan was expected to use

the occasioo to make a major

speech about the American space

On its third mission, Columbis

outside Los Angeles.

ditions at Edwards.

ionosphere.

space flight.

designed and built in Canada.

Haig leaves behind truckloads of crises

By Bob Horton

WASHINGTON (R) - Secretary of State Alexander Haig's resignation will create a void inside the Reagan administration at a time when it must take urgent decisions on crucial foreign policy issues around the world, analysts

Allies who were uneasy over what they often saw as a confrontational foreign policy may fear that the administration has taken a further hard turn to the

No successor will be able to develop quickly the popularity and trust which Mr. Haig, a former commander of NATO, enjoyed abroad, especially in Western Europe.

In his resignation statement, Mr. Haig said the foreign policy guidelines which he and the president agreed oo last year had been shakeo from the careful course we laid down."

Mr. Haig sdvocated strong U.S.-European ties and a White House official said that among the reasons for his resignation was President Reagan's decision to expand a ban on the sale of equipment for a planned natural gas pipeline from the Soviet Union to Western Europe.

Crises all around

The problems facing the administration are formidable.

Leading them is a Middle East war in which the administration's policy of refusing to rebuke Israel for its march into Lebanon is increasingly being questioned. Mr. Haig is regarded as the principal proponent of that policy.

Meanwhile, the United States urgently needs to mend its relatinns with Latin America, damaged by its support of Britain in a war against Argentina over the Falkland Islands.

Some conservatives were critical of the administration decision to turn to Western Europe in the dispute instead of throwing in its lot with the Western hemisphere. But relations with Western

Europe are also at an unusually prickly stage. Apart from European anger at the pipeline decision, there are severe problems over trade and economic issues that must be addressed.

In Congress, the administration's much touted trade and aid plan for the economically ailing Caribbean Basin region is in serious trouble and requires a strong advocate if it is to be sal-

The long-awaited strategic arms negotiations with the Soviet Union open in Geneva next Tuesday. President Reagan came to office assailing the SALT II treaty oegotiated by president Carter and lagged behind Mr. Haig in understanding the world pressure for arms cootrol.

Decisions must also be made on U.S. relations with China, still bedevilled by disagreements over U.S. arms sales to Taiwan.

Mr. Haig was an advocate of good relations between Washington and Peking and President Reagan made a sharp deviation from his loog-held philosophy when he decided last January not to sell Taiwan advanced warplanes.

On the international economic front, Washington's allies in Europe are deeply troubled by the high level of U.S. interest rates, which they complain have drained money from their economies and forced them to raise their own interest rates.

The administration's decisioo to levy heavy duties on West European steel imports, along with the sanctions against the multibillion-dollar Soviet pipeline project, have also roused fears of allout trade war between Europe and the United States.

Mr. Haig's resignation comes at a time when President Reagan is confronted with economic troubles at home which worry many

Critics say his large budget deficits combined with tight money policy are the cause of the highest U.S. unemployment rate since the great depression of the

New secretary of state raises brows in N. York

By Andrew Nibley

Shultz, President Reagan's choice to replace Alexander Haig as secretary of state, will face questions in coming weeks on the depth of

He is a longtime "team player"

But in his forthcoming Senate confirmation hearings, Mr. Shultz is sure to be questioned about his cellor Helmut Schmidt and allegiance to Washingtoo's trad-

drew a chilly reaction from some WASHINGTON (R) - George Congressmen. Sen. Alan Cranston expressed concern about what the switch would do "not only to Israel but potentially to the cause of stability in the Middle Adding to his problems will be a

News of the choice of Mr. Shultz

president of the firm.

In 1977, the Commerce Department charged Bechtel with illegally helping Arab countries embargo goods flowing to Israel. The complaint was ultimately settled out of court.

Europe.

the North Atlantic Treaty Organisation (NATO), he is a good friend of West German Chanworked closely with former Federai Reserve chairman Artbur A former treasury secretary, Burns, now ambassador to that

country, during the Nixon years.

Mr. Shultz has also been serving as head of s special economic advisory group which meets frequently with the president at the White House.

his commitment to Israel.

The 61-year-old international businessman, who administration sources say was Mr. Reagan's original choice for secretary of state, heads one of the world's largest construction and engineering companies. It does 10 per cent of its business in the Middle East. mostly with Saudi Arabia.

The new secretary of state contrasts sharply with Mr. Haig.

in Mr. Reagan's Republican Party and gets along well with Defence Secretary Caspar Weinberger, a former executive of the same construction firm, the Bechtel group.

itional ally, Israel.

budget director and labour secretary under ex-president Richard Nixon, he has defended his Middle East stance, saying: "1 agree completely with Reagan's 100 percent upport of Israel."

Commerce Department complaint against Bechtel lodged before Mr. Sbultz took over as

One of the things that will work in Mr. Shultz's favour will be his relatively close ties to Western

Although he does not enjoy Mr. Haig's status as a former head of

jailed in 1978 NICOSIA (R) — A newspaper Saturday quoted well informed

Reuters

recaptured the Falklands from Argentina, Prime Minister Margaret Thateher now faces some tough decisions about how to meet the cost of victory in the South Atlantic islands.

Mrs. Thatcher's three years in power have been a dogged struggle to limit government sending 100 sbips and 25,000 men to the South Atlantic to fight a

expense of reconstruction on the islands and of defending them for the foreseeable future against possible Argentine attack.

estimates vary wildly. . One newspaper put the cost of equipment, fuel, special provisings, weapons and the char-

In a speech to Conservative Party supporters he explained: "National hooour can rarely be paper, the Guardian, wrote:

redeemed on the cheap. There is a price in blood and a price in treas-

The treasure would have to come from non-inflationary sources, which might include adjustments in public spending, taxation and borrowing, he said. Government officials have said

the bills would be paid from a £2.4 billioo (\$4.3 billion) contingency fund allowed in this year's budget.

ing the year and in the last financial year a large slice of it was not But economic commentators

have been quick to say that io most vears the whole fund pays for the overshooting of speoding targets, and is sometimes not enough on its Victor Keegan, economics

editor of the Liberal daily news-

"Unless the government is blessed by another unexpected shortfall it looks as though the contingency reserve will be unable to take the Strain.

So Mrs. Thatcher faces some

tough decisions. Before the crisis she bad been gearing her economic planning towards delivering promised tax

cuts next year. One option if she needs extra money, which might be unpopular, would be to postpone these cuts. Another could be to save the

money elsewhere by cutting spending in other government departments. But they have already trimmed

their budgets to the bone, and further reductions in public services might be just as unpopular as a postponement on tax cuts.

Tough decisions Before she chooses where to

raise the money Mrs. Thatcher must decide how much she needs. On the navy side, four warships, two landing ships and a supply

vessel have been lost and several other ships have been damaged. The prime minister will have to decide whether they should be replaced and how quickly.

She is also likely to come under pressure to switch the emphasis in her defence spending from the nuclear deterrent to the conventional forces which fought the Falklands campaign.

Finally she has promised that whatever is needed for the effective defence of the islands will be provided

Military experts say that could involve keeping submarines and destroyers in the area, possibly even ooe of Britain's two aircraft

There will also have to be fighter planes based on the islands and strong ground defences, with a garrisoo of up to 3,500 men, they

Once again unofficial estimates of the cost vary sharply, ranging from £100 million (\$150 million) per year to £100 million per

MIDDLE **EAST NEWS BRIEFS**

Egypt regrets American veto

CAIRO (R) — Egypt Saturday expressed regret at the U.S. Security Council veto of the French draft resolutioo oo Lebanon, a foreign ministry official said. The official told reporters: "The American veto will encourage Israel to commit further aggres-sions." He said Egyptian Minister of State for Foreign Affairs Bout-ros Gbali had informed Paris of Egypt's support for the Freech resolution despite the U.S. veto. The French draft demanded Israeli and Palestinian withdrawal

Italian neofascist group claims credit for Friday shooting

ROME (R) — Italian right-wing urban guerrillas Saturday claimed responsibility for killing a Rome policeman shot while guarding the home of Palestine Liberation Organisation (PLO) representative Nimer Hammad on Thursday. In a telephone call to the Italian news agency ANSA, the Armed Revolutionary Nuclei (NAR) said the attack was not aimed at Mr. Hammad and cited a vendetta for neofascist Girogio Vale, killed in Rome in a shootout with Police two months ago.

Ulusu criticises European concern for human rights

ANKARA (R) — Turkish Prime Minister Bulend Ulusu Saturday criticised the "peculiar attitude" of some states in the Council of Europe which are planning to file a complaint against Turkey at the European commission of human rights. Although Mr. Ulusu did not mention any countries, it was clear that his remarks at a press conference here Saturday were directed at Norway, the Netherlands, France, Sweden, and Denmark which are seeking to allege human rights violations Mr. Ulusu warned that the application would cause irrevocable

Bomb damages Austrian journalist's home in Vienna

VIENNA (R) — A bomb exploded Friday outside the house of an Austrian educational journalist who is also a leading Freemason and a longstanding member of the Austria-Israel society. It caused serious damage but no injuries, police said. The attack on the house of Alexander Giese, head of science and education at Austrian television, resembled one two weeks ago on the house of Nazi-hunter Simon Wiesentbal,

they said. Cyprus reportedly frees 2 Arabs

sources as saying two Arabs unprisoned here since 1978 for the murder of a friend of the late Anwar Sadat have been released from prison and have left Cyprus. Government spokesman refused comment on the report in the Greek Cypriot newspaper Nea beyond saying there would be an official statement on Mooday. Zayed Hussein Ahmad Ali, 30. and Samir Mohammad Khaddar, 31, were convicted of shooting Yousef Sebai, an Egyptian, in a Nicosia hotel lobby on Feb. 18, 1978. Mr. Sebai was a former editor of the Cairo newspaper Al Ahram as well as a friend of Mr. Sadat, the Egyptian president who himself was assassinated last October. The two men were sentenced to death but the Cyprus supreme court later commuted this to life imprisonment. After the shooting, the two men hijacked a Cyprus Airways plane with 12 hostages aboard at Larnaca airport. Fifteen Egyptian commandoes were later killed in fighting with Cypriot National Guardsmen after the Egyptians had attempted to sieze the hijackers at the airport. Egypt severed relations with Cyprus over the affair. Saturday's press report did not say where the two men had

Having won the war, Mrs. Thatcher must make ends meet

pendeoce day.

By Brian Cathcart

LONDON -- With Britain having

brief but violent campaign. She must also assess the

No figures have been made public for these bills and unofficial

tering of merchant ships at around £500 million (\$900 million). But this does not include the

cost of replacing lost ships and repairing damaged ones, nor does it take into account the price of future defence of the islands.

At the other end of the scale of left-wing weekly, the New Statesman, set the cost this year. all those elements included, at some £1.7 billion (\$3 billion).

When the Falklands crisis blew up at the beginning of April, Mrs. Thatcher made it clear that the islands would be recovered from Argentina whatever the financial cost. Throughout the conflict ministers and government officials have said that the cost could be relatively easily borne.

The chief exception was John Biffen, the senior cabinet minister charged with managing parliamentary business, who warned taxpayers they might have to pay more to help meet the cost of the

Honour at a price

NEWS ANALYSIS Such a fund is routinely set aside to meet unexpected spending dur-

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